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EMBELLISHMENT—*Portrait of Henry, full brother of Monsieur Tonson.*

Engraved by Bannerman, from a painting by Edward Troye.

HENRY, FULL BROTHER OF MONSIEUR TONSON.

[Through the liberality of the Honorable B. Peyton of Tennessee, (the owner of Henry Tonson) we are enabled to present our patrons with a portraiture, and the memoir which follows, of the only surviving brother of the renowned Monsieur Tonson. Great credit is due to the enterprising artist, Mr. Bannerman, for the manner in which he has executed the engraving.]

THIS portrait, though conceived with judgment and executed with taste, is inferior to Henry, especially in the back, loin and hind quarter; in these points it would be difficult, if not impossible for the artist to exhibit the native beauty and perfection of the animal.

Henry is a light grey, ten years old, "just passing from the iron grey of youth, to the hoary white of age;" he perpetuates the beautiful mark which was notable in his sire—a red belt passing from midway his back around the near side,—sure pledge of his Arabian origin. He is fifteen hands three inches high, his general appearance majestic and commanding, "uniting symmetry and beauty with vast strength and muscular power. He combines the back, loin, quarters, depth of carcass and general length of Pacolet, and the lofty air of Top-Gallant, with the neat limbs, elastic pasterns and deep hoofs of Medley. He is formed on the model of Pacolet and Monsieur Tonson—withers lower than the Archy family, but with great width of shoulder-blade, an unusually large back-bone, with a full arched loin, and great width of hips,—chest and body swelling, capacious and highly formed,—flank, full and low—stifle, well under him—haunches full and round,—thigh, long and slightly curved, with great power in the stifle, and well let down upon a hock which for breadth, pitch and finish has scarcely an equal,—legs light, clean and hard, with strong bone, large and distinct sinew, pasterns of good length, highly finished and slightly elastic,—hoofs small, deep and most superior,—in fact, from the loin to the point of the hock, thence to the ground, he approaches perfection, in mould and *material*, not surpassed, i equalled, by Pacolet or Monsieur Tonson—his arms are large and muscular, with a regular taper down to an erect pastern, which you may span with the thumb and fore-finger—his neck is long, tapering and beautifully arched, with a full, flowing silken mane and soft glossy coat—head long and bony, jaws and face wide and well tapered to the muzzle—nostril large, throttle well detached, forehead smooth, countenance lively, but not vicious, with a full yellow brilliant eye—long and well placed ear. He is a fine mover, and like all his family is free, generous and lively, but remarkable for good temper and docility. On running a parallel between Henry, Leviathan, Timoleon and Eclipse, it will be found that he equals them in all, and surpasses them in many of the essential points both of fineness and stamina.

Thus:

	Timoleon.	Leviathan.	Eclipse.	Henry.
Height at withers, - - - - -	66½ in.	64 in.	61 in.	63 in.
From point of shoulder to point of buttock,	68½	69	65½	69
Around the body at the girth, - -	73½	72	74	73
Around the body at the flank, - -	73½	72	74	75
Around the arm at the swell, - -	23½	22	21½	23½
Around the knee, - - - - -	14½	12½	12½	13
Around the cannon midway, - -	8½	9	7½	8
Around tibia or swell above the hock,	18½	18	18½	19
Around the hock, - - - - -	16½	16½	16½	17½

	Timoleon.	Leviathan.	Eclipse.	Henry.
Around cannon midway, - - - -	9½	9½	8½	9
From point to point of shoulder, - -	13½	16		16
From point to point of hip, - - -	24	19		22
Length of neck, - - - - -	32½	30	25	34
Length of croup, - - - - -	22½	18	19	20

Panton, in the 4th volume of American Turf Register, page 564, 565, says, "standing in shoes Timoleon would pass for 16 hands, in the admeasurement, page 377, it is stated, height at withers 66½ inches," an evident mistake. At page 565, he says, "Leviathan is about one inch the widest between the points of the shoulders, and is equally wide between the points of the houghs or hips," so that Timoleon in this point cannot exceed 19 inches, while Henry is 22.

Panton took the admeasurement of Henry (see vol. 5, American Turf Register, page 358,) and though one of the most accurate of men, he unfortunately omitted to take the admeasurement around the stifle, and from point of hip to point of hock, and thence to the ground; points in which he has no superior.

Henry was foaled in the spring of 1824, on the farm of Mr. Thomas Foxall, in Sumner county, Tennessee,—the breeder of the "Four Tennessee Brothers," Monsieur Tonson, Sir Richard, Henry and Champion. He was got by Pacolet, he by the imported horse Citizen, he by Pacolet of England; he by Blank, and Blank by the Godolphin Arabian. Citizen's dam, Princess, by Turk, he by Regulus, and he by the Godolphin Arabian; his grandam, Fairy Queen, by Young Cade, he by old Cade, and he by the Godolphin Arabian; his great grandam, Ruth's Black Eyes, by Crab, out of the Warlock Galloway, by Snake—Ball Galloway, Curwen's Bay Barb. The dam of Pacolet was Col. Epps' Gray mare, Mary Grey, by Tippoo Saib, (she was also the dam of several other celebrated horses, among them Palafox, Jolly Air, Wilks' Wonder, &c.) Tippoo Saib, by Lindsey's Arabian. For an account of this horse, see American Turf Register and Sporting Magazine, and also the American Farmer, No. 28, vol. 9, which class him among the best importations to America. Pacolet's grandam by Brimmer, he by the imported horse Valiant, he by Dormouse, and he by the Godolphin Arabian. The dam of Brimmer by the imported horse Jolly Roger—for his pedigree in full, see American Turf Register. Pacolet's g. grandam by Babraham, he by the imported horse Juniper, out of Col. Tasker's imported mare Selima, by the Godolphin Arabian; Juniper, by Babraham of England, he by the Godolphin Arabian; Pacolet's g. g. grandam, by the imported horse Jolly Roger. Henry's dam was by Top Gallant, he by Gallatin, he by the imported horse Bedford, out of an imported mare by Mambrino; Bedford, by Dunganon, one of the best sons of English Eclipse.

The dam of Top Gallant, by Wildair, he by the imported Fearnought, he by Regulus, and he by the Godolphin Arabian. The dam of Wildair, by imported Jolly Roger, out of the imported mare Kitty Fisher; the grandam of Top Gallant, by the imported horse Othello, (commonly called Black-and-all-Black) he by old Crab, out of the famous Miss Slamerkin.

Henry's grandam by Grey Medley, (Barry's) he by Hart's imported Medley. The dam of Grey Medley, by Skipwith's, (Black-and-all-Black,) grandam, by Bay Bolton, he by Bay Bolton of England, out of the imported mare Blossom; g. grandam, by old Partner; g. g. grandam, by Lonsdale; g. g. g. grandam, by old imported Fearnought; Skipwith's Black-and-all-Black, by the imported horse Brunswick; he by old Crab, out of Miss Slamerkin. Black-and-all-Black's dam by Ariel, full brother to old Partner, being got by Morton's imported Traveller, out of Selima, by the Godolphin Arabian. Lonsdale was got by imported Jolly Roger, out of an imported mare bred by Sir John Ramsden, and got by Monkey; her dam, Lord Lonsdale's Black Arabian, Coneyskin's, &c. &c. Henry's g. grandam by the imported Oscar, he by Young Snip; his dam by Morton's Arabian; grandam by old Crab; g. grandam by Bald Galloway; g. g. grandam by the Darley Arabian; g. g. g. grandam of Henry by the imported horse Fearnought, he by Regulus, and he by the Godolphin Arabian.

For further particulars of Henry's pedigree, see the American Turf Register, and General Stud Book.

The fall after he was two years old, (1826) he was sold to Mr. O. Shelby, for the *then* enormous price of two thousand two hundred dollars.* This is conclusive evidence of the promise and high estimation in which he was held, when it is recollected that Mr. Shelby had previously purchased Monsieur Tonson, after he was distinguished as a racer, for one thousand dollars; and that Mr. G. B. Williams sold one half his interest in Monsieur, when four years old, for one thousand dollars, after he had triumphed over every competitor from Nashville to Nachez!† Champion in 1829, at the head of the turf himself, and after the brilliant career of his family, sold for three thousand dollars. As an evidence of the growing reputation of Henry, one half him was sold for upwards of three thousand dollars, and four thousand dollars have been offered for the same interest in the past year.

Henry received his first training the spring he was three years old by Mr. O. Shelby, who had in his stable some colts of great promise,

* Eclipse at eight years old, and previous to his race with Sir Charles was offered at \$2500.

† After a lapse of eight years he sold for \$10,000.

among others, Washington, by Pacolet, out of Rosa Clack. This colt distinguished himself by beating Walk-in-the-Water, three mile heats. Henry was Washington's superior in brushes and trial runs. Near the close of the spring training he received an injury, of which Mr. Shelby speaks in the following manner:

After stating his original cost of twenty-two hundred dollars, he adds, "in the spring following, I put him in training and discovered him to be a colt of the first class for both speed and bottom, as far as I tried him. I had the highest confidence in his making a first rate racehorse at all distances, and but for a misfortune he met with in bleeding, which caused a great enlargement of the glands about the windpipe, I have no doubt he would have been equal to his full brother, Monsieur Tonson. From the above cause his breathing was greatly obstructed, so that for several weeks in the months of April and May, I believed he would die. After poulticing the part affected, I was advised to rowel him, which I did, and by that means saved his life and restored him in some measure. I am satisfied, however, he never recovered from the injury of the bleeding, and that his breathing was permanently affected by it." Mr. G. B. Williams states, that when sent for to assist in saving the life of Henry—"I found him with his head near the ground, with his neck so much swollen that he was unable to raise it. I applied poultices, &c. and left him in the evening somewhat relieved; but the injury which I learned was inflicted by driving a fleam through the vein into the tendon of his neck, proved to be a permanent injury. After running, he had great difficulty in breathing."

Mr. John C. Beasley, who trained and ran Henry all his races the fall following, states,—“at the time I commenced training Henry, I thought him in worse condition than any horse I ever trained. He was very lean, affected with a difficulty of breathing, and had the worst cough I ever saw any horse have, and was affected with both diseases during the time I had him.”

Henry made his debut in the fall of 1827, at three years old. He was started mile heats, over the Gallatin course, Tennessee, against two colts of great promise, Mr. Malone's horse Negro, by old Pacolet, out of the dam of the famous race-mare, Betsey Malone, and Col. Robert Smith's Oscar. The horses were brought up at the call.—Negro the favorite for the race—some offers on Oscar for the heat,—Henry was looked upon as *hors du combat* on account of his injury. At the tap of the drum they went off well together—by the time they were forty rods from home, Henry had placed himself several lengths ahead, which he maintained throughout, winning the heat with ease in one minute and fifty seconds. Course a full mile, not favorable for

time. After running the heat Henry's breathing was somewhat difficult, though he was recovered before the time of starting for the second heat. Bets five to one on Henry—no takers. At the signal he burst away from his competitors, swept round the turn at an injudicious rate, and entered the short run on the south end of the course far in advance; the cry was, "he will distance the field," at the next breath, "look at Henry, he has bolted." He was seen bounding through the field with his neck beautifully arched, and his white flag streaming in the wind. The jockey tried in vain to rein him into the course before he reached the poll. His competitors passed on, made the turn, and were running up the long ascending reach on the back-side of the course, when Henry came in from sixty to eighty yards behind, the rider was ordered to go on. He exhibited to an astonished field, a wonderful display of speed—swept past his competitors and came home several length ahead. He was ruled out; having passed on the inside of the poll. After this heat, which gained him great celebrity, his breathing was much more difficult. Henry was known to be the superior of Washington, who had the week before vanquished for the first time in the west, Mr. G. B. Williams' renowned Walk-in-the-Water three mile heats over the Central course, and also beat Col. Elliott's distinguished race-mare, Morgiana, at Gallatin.* Mr. Shelby selected Henry in preference to Washington, to contend against his full brother Richard, who was substituted by Mr. Williams for Walk-in-the-water, and the hard bottomed Pacolet horse Remus three mile heats, the next week at Nashville. The day of trial arrived, but there shone upon the field no sun of Austerlitz, "shadows, clouds and darkness hung upon it." The rain had fallen in torrents, and the course situated in the fertile low grounds of the Cumberland was deep and miry. Richard, who to that day had never lost a heat or purse, was the favorite. Remus was not without friends. Bets were freely offered on him in the event of broken heats. Henry alone was friendless. His age and injury caused the "knowing ones," to regard his success as hopeless. They said no three year old could go through that mud with such four year olds as Richard and Remus. The interest excited by this fraternal contest was intense. A more crowded field was seldom seen,—at last the hour arrived. The electric order "mount your riders" thrilled through the immense multitude. The signal is given, away they dash, Henry leads, closely followed by Richard,—Remus laying up. They enter the straight run on the back part of the course, Richard makes play, Henry maintains his position, they make the turn and enter the front stretch—as they passed the veteran Elliot, the order to Richard, was, "go along and get

* Morgiana flew the track, and was stopped.

out of the mud," on they plunged at a killing pace,—no change in the fortune of the day, (Remus far in the rear comes picking his way at leisure.) They run another round, when a severe contest for the track ensues, Henry bears away when called on, emptying his deep hoofs in Richard's face, whose beautiful countenance and swan-like neck was seen, for the first time, dripping with mud and water; as they pass around, the commencement of the third mile, the cry was to Henry, "hold him hard and let him go"—on they press—the stride tremendous, and rate excessive, pass up the long heavy reach on the back, sweep round to the front:—"Draw your whip and go on," Richard makes his last desperate effort,—it won't do, Henry takes the heat in gallant style, Remus just falling in his distance of one hundred and eighty yards. Time not recollected though it must have been bad from the condition of the course.

After running this heat, Henry, though otherwise well off, was much distressed for the want of a free passage through his wind pipe. Great sympathy was manifested for his condition, and Mr. Shelby's friends urged the propriety of withdrawing him from the race, but ardent and sanguine, he seemed to think he could breathe through a quill and win the race. The time for starting arrived, the three horses appeared at the post—the two majestic brothers cast defying glances at each other, while Remus, with his quick pace, and quiet mien, seemed to be waiting, like some wily politician, for them to worry each other, for his advantage. At the tap of the drum, off they burst, Henry in the lead, hard pressed by Richard, who went to work in earnest from the score. Remus in hand, but well up. At the termination of the second mile Remus made play, passed Richard and came up and challenged Henry;—a smart rally ensued, which was kept up around the turn, when Henry was driven into the straight reach on the back of the course several lengths ahead. Richard finding that Remus could not put him up, took the matter into his own hands, and with a sudden run came up and locked Henry, in this position they kept up a severe struggle, without either gaining, through that long and wearisome reach, until near its close, when Henry gradually got clear of him, and in going round the turn opened out and entered the stretch for the run in, two lengths ahead. The persuaders were applied to Richard freely; it would not do, the struggle had been long and bitter, and bravely sustained, but he gave it up. At this moment Remus, who had been in reserve, was seen gliding up under the picketing upon the firm, but narrow and slippery walking path—a dangerous adventure, but if successful, was thirty or forty yards advantage, in the run in—as by magic he was upon them, and before the rider, taken by surprise, could call out Henry, Remus was ahead at the post, and took the heat, Henry pulling up within the distance

stand. Thus, by one of those unexpected and accidental occurrences which are often witnessed on the course, Henry was deprived of the heat, and the race. He had been pressed alternately by Richard and Remus on almost every stretch in the six miles. On coming out in the last heat he was near falling in the track, and wheezed and whistled the wind through his pipes. Mr. Shelby now consented to withdraw him. The race was won by Richard in four heats. It was manifest to all who knew Remus, that he was indebted to chance for the heat which he won, as no horse could beat him a third or fourth heat which he was able to beat a second.

Thus ended the prospects of Henry Tonson on the turf, and while it furnished conclusive evidence of extraordinary powers as a racehorse, it also afforded irresistible proof of his permanent injury.

He was entered in one other race only, from which he was again withdrawn on account of the old injury. As a racehorse Henry, but for his injury, was considered by all who knew him to be equal to either of his brothers. Col. Elliot and Mr. G. B. Williams, who trained and run Monsieur, Richard and Champion, state that at Gallatin and Nashville, he fully sustained the reputation of his family as runners.

Henry and Monsieur Tonson afford the most desirable and perfect cross with the descendants of Diomed. They unite the inestimable crosses of Citizen, Medley and Bedford. This family are alike remarkable for their eminent racing qualities, and the transmission of those qualities to their descendants. Pacolet, the sire, was among the best racehorses and stallions of his day. Monsieur Tonson found no equal on the turf, and is unsurpassed as a stallion. Neither Richard nor Champion were ever beaten, although they bantered and run against the world. Richard died young, but left some excellent stock. Champion was destroyed by disease. Telegraph, a grandson of Madam Tonson, is producing running stock, which shows that there has been no depreciation to the third generation. Henry, in his progeny, has contributed his share in perpetuating the fame of his illustrious family. His colts are remarkable for their size and beauty. Ariel did not possess more game than the grey filley of Desha and Barry. Burrus' grey filley was said to be equal to Miss Tonson in speed. But to have got Daniel O'Connel alone is sufficient to establish his reputation as a breeder. This fine colt, at two years old, run two races, mile heats, one over the Central Course, Tennessee, and the other at Nashville, Tennessee, in each of which he was successful. In the first race, he ran a mile in 1m. 49s. and a few days after the second race took the prize cup at the cattle show.

Henry unites in an eminent degree the requisites for a stallion. When his size, form, beauty, temper, blood and constitutional stamina are all considered, it is believed he has no superior.

AUTOCRAT.

We are disappointed in the expectation to have embellished the present number with the likeness of Autocrat; described by the editor of the New York Sporting Magazine, in its first number, "as a fine animal," that "possesses admirable points, particularly the shoulder, back, and loin; the latter rises with a high arch, highly appreciated, as indicative of strength and continuance." With "size" and "substance," "he is free from any of those cumbrous points erroneously viewed as constituting strength, but which have a different effect, as so much lumber." "His temper is mild and placid, nothing vicious or fretful; a disposition of the first consequence to a race-horse. He is descended *from one of the best running families in England*, having himself shown great speed;" at three years old, by winning the Staffordshire stake, a single mile; and, besides, his race for the gold cup at Preston, the next year, to have won shortly after, "the king's plate at Lichfield, four mile heats, carrying the high weight of 10st. 7lbs. (147lbs.) being 47lbs. more than horses of the same age carry in Virginia, bespeaks him likely to get stock *that will not only shew speed*, but have the "*length in them.*" His three races and winner twice, in two days, at Newton, also prove "stoutness."

The Earl of Derby, (lately deceased,) who bred and ran the renowned Sir Peter, politely answered a letter addressed to him, from "Knowsley, April 21, 1833," that "Autocrat, whilst in training, was my property, which I afterwards sold in this neighborhood, when I furnished the pedigree I had received with him,—when I bought him as a foal, bred by Lord Stamford, and got by Grand Duke out of Olivetta, by Sir Oliver out of Scotina by Delpini, out of Scota, by Eclipse." (Scota out of sister in blood to the invincible Highflyer.) "*Nothing can be better bred than Olivetta*, and she produced *many winners* by different horses; one called Halston got by Banker, is still in training and is considered a good racer. Autocrat, whilst in my possession, ran severe races, and *I had reason to think him a good horse*, until he had a disorder which made me put him out of training. Then I covered some mares with him. I have several of his get that promise to be useful horses. (Signed.) DERBY."

The printed card that accompanied him, advertised him in England, in 1832, as "the magnificent gray horse Autocrat, late the property of the Earl of Derby," "to cover this season at 10sovs." A brief recital of his pedigree, closed with the remark, it "is unsurpassed;" and his most distinguished performances followed.

Bell's life in London, of the 22d July, 1832, announced that "Mr. Jackson takes with him, (to the U. S.) the celebrated horse Autocrat, late the property of the Earl of Derby. He is *of the first blood in the kingdom*, and beat most of the best horses of his day. He is admirably adapted to America, and we trust will amply repay his spirited proprietor."

Autocrat has occupied such space in this work, (see vol. 4, p.p. 446 and and 520,) that it is unnecessary to give his achievements here, "in extenso." To have won his first race, "at three years old, the Dee stakes, at

Chester, in 1825, beating Sir T. M. Stanley's Dr. Faustus and four others, same ages and weights, 8st. 7lbs.; the same week the Palatine stake, beating Mr. Houldsworth's Androgeas; at Lichfield, the Staffordshire stakes 8st. 3lbs. to 8st., beating General Grosvenor's "very fleet filly Wings, winner of the Oaks the same year; to have won all his races that year, but one lost to Dr. Faustus, that had previously been beat by him; and in 1826, in two days at Newton, to have won two plates, out of three races; the second race, an excellent one, won again by Dr. Faustus, beating also the renowned Longwaist; winning the last and second race that day, beating at 8st., in three heats, among others, the renowned Euphrates, aged, 9st.; to have run a good second to Lottery, probably, at that time, the best horse in England, beating his famed half-brother Bruttendorf and Signorina; to have won the Peover stakes at Knutsford, and afterwards, all the same year, besides other races, the king's plate at Lichfield, four mile heats, beating the famed Miss Forester, distancing their other competitors; and in all his racing never to have received weight but for age, are of themselves sufficient to have established his character as a racehorse in England, which has been confirmed by "the Virginian abroad," and adopted as the opinion of "Barrymore,"* the disinterested writer who has arraigned most of our recent importations. To shew that his competitors were the "crack horses of the day," we will take a passing notice of a few of them. Mr. Whittaker's Lottery, by whom he was beat, has been regarded as *the best horse of his day*, though sometimes beaten from an indisposition to run. "Chorister, the first of his get which appeared in public," won the St. Leger in 1831, when his daughter Elizabeth run a good fourth; she has since been greatly distinguished as a plater; at five years old, winner at *high weights* of "the king's guineas at Doncaster, running the four miles in 7m. 46s.!" Longwaist by Whalebone, also his victor, of almost equal fame with Lottery, though beat at three years old, having won a race the same day, by Luzborough four years old, won thirteen races, eight of them gold cups, in 1825—6. Being a year younger than Lottery, a disagreement as to relative weights prevented their being matched, when regarded as, "at the top of the tree." Longwaist cost Mr. Mytton 3000gs., and was esteemed so invincible, that when beat, unjust reflections were made on his rider, who was most honorably defended by Mr. Mytton. (For these and other particulars concerning Longwaist and Euphrates, see the Life of Mytton.)

Of the most celebrity beat by Autocrat, may be especially mentioned Miss Forester, Bruttendorf, Dr. Faustus, Signorina, Euphrates, and Wings, besides Anti-Radical, Grenadier, Invalid, and others of repute.

Mr. Cook's Miss Forester, (Forester Lass,) from the year, at five years old, she was beat by Autocrat, the king's plate, four mile heats, at Lichfield, won twenty-seven races, chiefly king's plates

Mr. Clifton's Bruttendorf won a few capital races at five years old, and was the favorite at Preston, when beat by Lottery and Autocrat, for the gold cup, three miles and a distance, twenty subscribers.

* See vol. 5, p.p. 294—451. For the likeness of Lottery, for the "coup d'œil" of a racehorse, and his brilliant achievements, see Johnson's English Sportsman's Cyclopaedia.

Sir T. Stanley's Dr. Faustus, beat by Autocrat, their first sweepstakes 8st. 7lbs., beat him, running second; the same year, the chieftain stakes, Mostyn mile, and about the same distance next year at Newton, beating also Longwaist, Autocrat having won the two mile heats the preceding day; at five years old, also with weight for age, he beat Leviathan, four years old; at six years old, carrying 126lbs., he ran second to Fylde, four years old, at 114lbs.; when aged, at 126lbs., again ran second to Fylde, five years old, at 122lbs., beating a capital field, Halston, Vanish, &c. (see Fylde's memoir.)

Sir W. Wynn's Signorina, among other capital races, took a purse from Memnon, the renowned winner of the St. Leger, beating one of the best fields ever assembled, the Alderman, Actæon, Trinculo, Fleur de Lis, and Chateau Margaux, (first rate winners,) besides others, in 3m. 23s.!

Mr. Mytton's g. Euphrates, "a first rate distance horse, winner eleven times in 1825—6, beating Longwaist, Cain, and the best horses without receiving weight," (beat by Autocrat two mile heats at Newton, in 1826, and by Luzborough for the Cheltenham gold cup, in 1828,) "like one of the old sort, now become very scarce, persevered in running and winning to his thirteenth year." "The sideboard at Halston exhibited thirteen gold cups, besides silver ones, many trophies for one horse, the celebrated Euphrates;" he was thirty-one times a winner; in 1825 he won the Darlington gold cup, beating Barefoot, Sir Grey, and Gen. Mina, "crack nags."

Gen. Grosvenor's "very fleet filley Wings," the year she was beat by Autocrat, "won the Oaks and gold cup at Epsom," and is now a brood mare in the Royal stud.

As in Autocrat are concentrated copious streams, through the *purest* channels of English blood, from the very fountain head of turf excellence, besides the Darley and Godolphin Arabians, the more early Arabians of celebrity in England, and their most renowned descendants, Flying Childers, Partner, Regulus, Blank, Matchem, Snap, Herod, Eclipse, Highflyer, Benington, Sir Peter, Delpini, &c.; we shall now furnish his own pedigree, and then *give it in full*, from the earliest dates in the English Stud Book, with notes as to their own achievements, their get, &c.

Gr. c. Autocrat, foaled 1822, bred by Lord Stamford, (sold a foal to Lord Derby,) was got by Grand Duke; his dam, Olivetta, by Sir Oliver; grandam Scotina by Delpini; great grandam Scots by Eclipse out of Harmony by Herod, sister in blood to Highflyer, out of Rutilia sister to his dam Rachel, by Blank; Regulus; Soreheels; Makeless; D'Arcy's "Royal mare."

To exhibit a pedigree *in full* of a thorough bred horse, may be selected that of Autocrat. We know of none of more ancient descent or of more distinguished crosses. It embraces the three classes, (Matchem, Eclipse, and Herod,) of English blood, from the Godolphin and Darley Arabians, and the Byerley Turk; and presents about a score of the most famed horses in the English annals. It being something of a compendium, (of at least one volume,) of the English Stud Book, we have reversed the usual order of pedigrees, and have introduced them, chronologically from the earliest dates. The following horses and their get, (from whom Autocrat's

most remote ancestors, of which we have any account, derive their descent,) have no dates affixed to their names, nor are more full pedigrees given in the Stud Book: viz., Alcock's Arabian, sire to Crab; Bethel's Arabian, sire to Herod's grandam; Hall's Arabian, sire to Whitenose; Honeywood's Arabian, (remote ancestor of Sir Peter;) Harper's Arabian, sire to Champion, (his dam by Hautboy;) Leedes Arabian, sire to Leedes and Fox's dam, his grandam and that of Childers; Lonsdale's Arabian; Lord Oxford's Arabian; Oglethorpe's Arabian, (sire to Makeless;) Puleine Arabian; Stanyan's Arabian; and Winn's Arabian. Curwen's bay Barb, a present from the Emperor of Morocco to Louis XIV. (sire to the Mixburys, &c.;) King William's white Barb, Chillaby; King William's notongued Barb, dam by Rutland's black Barb; St. Victor's Barb, sire to the Bald Galloway; Dodsworth, a natural barb, foaled in England; Grey Hound, the same, by Chillaby; Fenwick's Barb, sire to Whynot; Taffolet Barb; white legged Lowther Barb; Wilkinson's Barb; Place's white Turk; Ancaster Turk, sire to Chanter; D'Arcy yellow Turk, sire to Brimmer out of a Royal mare, and to Spanker, (see Fox;) D'Arcy white Turk, sire to Hautboy out of a Royal mare, he the sire to Grey Hautboy, and to Clumsey, (see Fox;) Selaby Turk, sire to Old Spot; Paget Turk; Holderness Turk, sire to Hartley's blind horse; Duke of Newcastle's Turk; Brownlow Turk, sire to Grey Grantham; Helmsley's Turk, sire to Bustler; Lister Turk, *sire to Snake*, out of a Hautboy mare.

The Royal mares were introduced into England during the reign of Charles II. from 1660 to 1685.

Lawrence, in his treatise on the horse, remarks, "a long acquaintance with pedigrees, and the history of the forms in which our best horses have run, inclined me to suppose that our racers derive their speed generally from the Arabs, and their stoutness and stride from the Barbs, and perhaps their length and height from the Turks. Our favorite or most successful blood has been for many years past, and is at present, chiefly that of the Darley* and Godolphin† Arabians, the latter of whom I have little doubt was

*The Darley Arabian has been considered the parent of the racing stock. His figure is said to have contained every point which could be desired in a turf horse. Besides the Childers, he got Almanzor, his brother, and other excellent horses. Through them and his other descendants, Blaze, Snap, &c., his blood and fame has been widely circulated. (See No. 1, Vol. 2, American Turf Register.)

† The blood of the Godolphin Arabian has, for a long time, flowed in the veins of almost every racehorse in England. Among others of his get arranged chronologically, (in page 60 of the first volume American Turf Register,) the following have been the most famed, Lath, Dismal, Cade, Dormouse, Janus, Regulus, Bajazet, Babraham, Mogul, Blank, the Gower Stallion, Marksman, Skewball, Old England, Whitenose, Shepherdess, Marlborough, Infant, Mirza, (invincible in his day,) Tamerlane, Blossom, Sophia, Tarquin, Cripple, Fearnought, Dimple, Feather, Merryman, Creeper, Lofly, Cygnet, Matchless, Coalition Colt, and some others of celebrity that were of doubtful paternity. Imported Selima, Selim's dam, was by the Godolphin Arabian. (See No. 1, Vol. 1, Am. Turf Register.)

a Barb. The more immediate progenitors of our present stallions and brood mares of high repute are Eclipse and Highflyer, sons of Marske and King Herod with the cross of the Godolphin Arabians, through Regulus, Blank, Cade, Matchem, and others. The general characteristic of the produce of Marske has been speed. He was a great grandson of the Darley Arabian. The Herods have also shewn great speed, with a characteristic stoutness and goodness of constitution. King Herod descended through Partner, Tartar, and Jigg, from the famous Byerly Turk; from his dam Cypron he had in him twice the Darley Arabian. Partner, the grandsire of Herod, was one of the finest and best bred horses upon our national list; his dam was the dam, sister and grandam of high famed racers. She had two crosses of the Barb in her pedigree. A famous stream of the Darley Arabian blood has flowed through Childers to Snip and Snap. Marske, Herod, and Snap, were all of the highest old blood, *prior to that of the Godolphin Arabian*, which was blended in their descendants. The partiality of our breeders to the above racing branches is most justly founded."

It will be perceived that Autocrat's pedigree partakes *all the above foreign blood, so highly esteemed by Lawrence.*

The Byerly Turk,* foaled about the year 1680, was sire to Basto, (his dam by Leedes' Arabian, Spanker, Bald Peg,) see Fox, Jigg, (dam by Spanker,) and Grasshopper; the Darley Arabian, foaled 1699, sire to Flying and Bartlet's Childers; and the Godolphin Arabian, introduced into England 1730, sire to Blank, Cade, Regulus, &c., have been shewn to be the parents of the three great classes of English pedigrees; and crossed with the foreign stock, to which a thoroughbred horse, in all his crosses, must trace, has established the basis of English blood.

Detached from the pedigrees, as not essential to shew the connexion of blood, we present, in the notes below, conceiving it desirable they should appear in one view, a few particulars in reference to the most famed horses, some of which have been spread through our different volumes, but will admit of repetition.

- 1705. Bay Bolton, Sir M. Pierson's, "a good runner and excellent stallion," was got by Grey Hautboy, (grandson of D'Arcy's white Turk, his dam by Makeless, (son of Oglethorpe Arabian,) grandam by Brimmer, (son of D'Arcy's yellow Turk out of a royal mare,)—Diamond—sister to the dam of old Merlin.
- 1710. True Blue, 1718, his own brother, Young True Blue, Honeywood's, was got by Williams' Turk out of the Byerly mare.
- 1714. Fox,† bred by Sir Ralph Ashton, was got by Clumsey, (by Hautboy out of Miss D'Arcy's Pet mare,) his dam Bay Peg by the Leedes

* The Byerly Turk was Captain Byerly's charger in 1689. He was sire of Sprite, "nearly as good as Leedes," (by the Leedes Arabian—Spanker—Morocco Barb,) Black Hearty, sire to Bonny Black, the best runner of her time; Archer, the Byerly Gelding, &c., besides those named in the text.

† Fox was the sire to Conqueror, the best gelding that ever ran at Newmarket, besides other capital horses and brood mares.

Arabian—Young Bald Peg by Leedes Arabian—Spanker's dam by Lord Fairfax's Morocco Barb—old Bald Peg by an Arabian out of a Barb mare.

1715. Flying Childers,* ch. the Duke of Devonshire's, was got by the Darley Arabian, his dam, Betty Leedes, by Careless, (by Spanker out of a Barb mare)—Leedes Arabian—Spanker, (son of D'Arcy's yellow Turk)—Spanker's dam, see Fox. Bartlet's Childers own brother to Flying Childers.
1718. Partner,† Croft's, ch. was got by Jigg, (see Byerly Turk,) dam, sister to Mixbury by Curwen's Bay Barb—Curwen's Old Spot, (by Selaby Turk)—white legged Lowther mare—Old Vintner mare.
1722. Crab,‡ gr. was got by Alcock's Arabian; dam by Basto, (sister to Soreheels)—sister to the Mixbury Galloway, by the Curwen bay Barb—Curwen's Old Spot—as above (Partner.) For Basto, see Byerly Turk.
1727. Starling, Duke of Bolton's, was got by bay Bolton, dam by a son of the Brownlow Turk—Old Lady by the Pulleine Arabian—Rockwood out of the Lonsdale Tregonell mare—Bustler, (son of Helmsley Turk.)
1728. Bolton Looby, br. Duke of Bolton's, was got by bay Bolton; his dam Golden Locks by Mostyn's Grasshopper, (son of Byerly Turk) Lord Bristol's Hog.

* Flying or Devonshire Childers is famed as "the best horse that ever ran at Newmarket. He had no competitor to come within reach of his heel." If we credit the wonderful accounts of his speed, he must have been near a half mile in four better than any other horse. He is said to have run four miles in 6m. 48s.; at the rate of a mile in 1m. 42s. He was a chestnut with white upon his nose and all fours, fifteen hands or more high, of a short compact form, his immense stride being furnished by the length of his legs and thighs. He was sire, in addition to the above, to Hampton Court Childers, Plaistow, Winnall, Spanking Roger, Fleece'em, Poppet, &c. His own brother, Bartlet's Childers, who was never trained; was sire of Squirt, Œdipus, dam of Volunteer, and others of celebrity. (See No. 9, Vol. 2, American Turf Register.)

† Partner was the best horse at Newmarket, immediately succeeding Childers. He was a chestnut of great power and exquisite symmetry. Besides his get, Sedbury, Tartar, Cato, Traveller, Badger, Grisewood's Partner, Lady Thigh, Larkin's Looby, Little John, Bareforth, the Widdrington Mare, &c.; he was a progenitor of much other valuable stock, being great grandsire to Matchem and Herod. He was sire to imported Morton's Traveller, (brother to the Widdrington Mare,) and to the dams of imported Wildair, imp. Vampire, imp. Jolly Roger, imp. Regulus. (See p. 43, Vol. 4, American Turf Register.)

‡ Crab has contributed largely to perpetuate the best stock; he was sire to imported Othello, his dam by the Hampton Court Childers, to the dams of imported Aristotle, Brunswick, Ranter, and Valiant, of Othello, imported into Maryland, 1756, the sire to Selim and True Briton, and of a superior progeny.

1732. Squirt, ch. Lord Portmore's, was got by Bartlet's Childers out of the Snake mare, sister to Old County Wench—Grey Wilkes by Hautboy—Miss D'Arcy's Pet mare out of a Sedbury royal mare. Snake by the Lister Turk—Hautboy.
1733. Blaze,* b. bred by Mr. Panton, was got by Flying Childers out of the Confederate filly, by Grey Grantham—Duke of Rutland's black Barb—Bright's roan—Grey Grantham, son of the Brownlow Turk.
1734. Cade,† b. bred by Lord Godolphin, own brother to Lath by the Godolphin Arabian, out of Roxana, "a good plate mare," (dam also of Roundhead, by Childers, sire to imp. Jolly Roger,) by the Bald Galloway—her dam, sister to Chanter, by the Akaster Turk—Leedes Arabian—Spanker. The Bald Galloway by St. Victor Barb—Whynot, (by Fenwick's Barb)—royal mare.
1736. Forester, Croft's, was got by Hartley's Blind Horse, (son of the Holderness Turk, out of Sir R. Millbank's Makeless mare—see Highflyer,) his dam bay Bocklesby by Partner—Bocklesby by Greyhound, (a natural Barb)—Bocklesby Betty by Curwen's bay Barb Leedes; Hobby mare by the Lister Turk.
1736. Snip, br. bred by the Duke of Devonshire, (own brother to Blacklegs, Second, Hip and Puff,) was got by Flying Childers out of the Basto mare, Crab's dam.
1739. Regulus,‡ Lord Chedsworth's, "the best son of Godolphin Arabian," his dam was the noted mare Grey Robinson by the Bald Galloway, (see Cade,)—Snake, (see Squirt,)—Hautboy son of D'Arcy's white Turk.
1740. Blank,§ another of her most noted sons of the Godolphin Arabian, was bred by Lord Godolphin, with his own brothers Janus and Old England; they were out of the little Hartley mare by Bartlet's Childers, the half sister to the large Hartley mare, (by Hartley's Blind Horse,) the dam of Babraham, Marlborough, and Mogul, own brothers by the Godolphin Arabian—King William's Woodstock Arabian—St. Victor's Barb—Whynot—Royal mare.

* Blaze, sire to the famous runner Bay Malton and to Sampson, the lineal ancestor of Engineer, Mambrino, and Messenger, to the imported Blaze and Blazella, (Yorick's dam.)

† Cade was more famed as a stallion than on the turf. He was sire to Matchem, Young Cade, imported Wildair, imported Kitty Fisher, &c.

‡ Regulus, in one year, when six years old, won eight king's plates and a £50 plate. He was never beaten, being very superior to any horse of his time. He was also an excellent stallion, the sire of Adolphus, Ascham, Trajan, Spiletta, (Eclipse's dam,) the grandam of Highflyer, and many more excellent horses, besides the following that were imported, the famed Fearnought, Regulus, Merry Tom, Ranger, and Vampire. South, son of Regulus, was sire to imported Flimnap.

§ Blank was a capital stallion, he got twenty-one brood mares, dams of distinguished winners.

1743. **Tartar**, Mr. Leedes', was got by Partner out of Meliara by Fox—Milkmaid by Snail—Curwen's Shield's Galloway.
1743. **Othello**,* bl. (or Black-and-all-Black,) own brother to Bustard, Oroonoko, and Conqueror, bred by Lord Portmore, was got by Crab; dam Miss Slamerkin by Young True Blue—Lord Oxford's dun Arabian—D'Arcy Blacklegged Royal mare.
1748. **Matchem**,† b. bred by Mr. Fenwick, was got by Cade, his dam, sister to Miss Partner by Partner—Makeless—Brimmer—Place's white Turk—Dodsworth, a natural Barb, foaled in England—Layton Barb mare.
1749. **Spectator**,‡ b. the Duke of Ancaster's, was got by Crab; his dam by Partner—Bay Bolton—Darley Arabian—Byerly Turk—Taffolet Barb.
1750. **Snap**,§ br. bred by Lord Sandwich, was got by Snip; his dam, sister to Slipby, by Fox—Gipse by Bay Bolton—Duke of Newcastle's Turk—natural Barb mare.

* Not imported into the United States as has been erroneously stated. Othello, (or Black-and-all-Black,) was of great celebrity on the turf; in 1740 winner at Lewes and Stockbridge of £50; in 1749, winner of king's plates, at Newmarket, Salisbury, Canterbury, Lewes, &c., beating Joseph Andrews, Tom Jones, &c.; 1750, in Ireland, at the Curragh of Kildair, he won the 100gs. plate, beating Bustard, Primate, True Blue, and Old England; in 1751, with 10st. he beat Lord March's Bajazet, for 1000gs.; and in 1752, though he had covered in the spring, he won the king's plate, at 12st.; beating Gustavus and Trimmer. He covered in Cambridgeshire, England, in 1754, 55, 56. See vol. 4, p.p. 382, 612.

† Matchem ranks with the best racers and stallions of England. He beat Trajan over the Beacon course, carrying 8st., in 7m. 20s. In twenty-three years three hundred and fifty-four winners, his progeny won £151,097, (\$670,870.) He cleared as a stallion £17,000, (\$75,480.) From a list of one hundred and seventy-four of his get, the following are selected as the most famed winners: Atalanta, Conundrum, Chymist, Conductor, Critic, Cannibal, Cora, Cottager, Dux, Dictator, Gertrude, Hollandaise, Johnny, Maiden, North Star, Pantaloon, Phoenix, Princess, Pumpkin, Rasselas, Turf. He got twenty brood mares, dams of distinguished winners. He was also sire to imported Nancy Bywell, &c.

‡ Spectator, a first rate racer and stallion, was the first, and except Mirza, the only horse that ever beat Matchem, which was done in three heats, the two last in 7m. 40s. and 8m. 5s.; the first heat was won by Brilliant, son of Crab, in 7m. 52s.

§ Snap was the best racehorse at Newmarket, succeeding Matchem, Spectator, and Mirza. He beat the Duke of Cumberland's Marske twice, for 1000gs. B. C. (once with 10st. each,) and Lord Gower's sweepstake, B. C. 9st. each for 1000gs. He was of great beauty and justness of proportion. He got Goldfinder, who was never beat, Omnium, &c. and twenty-one mares, dams of noted winners.

1750. Marske,* br. the Duke of Cumberland's, was got by Squirt; his dam by Blacklegs, (brother to Snip,)—Bay Bolton—Foxcub, (by Clumsey, his dam by the Leedes Arabian,)—Coneyskins, son of the Lister Turk—Hutton's grey Barb—Hutton's Royal colt—Byerly Turk—Bustler, son of the Helmsley Turk. "This is regarded as one of the most ancient pedigrees, running to the reign of Charles I."
1750. Forester, ch. Williams', by Croft's Forester; his dam by the Bolton Looby—Margery, (Cricket's dam,) by Partner, out of a daughter of Makeless, the dam of Desdemona and great grandam of the Ancaster Starling.
1753. Cygnet, gr. bred by Lord Godolphin, own brother to Cripple, (Gimcrack's sire,) was got by the Godolphin Arabian; his dam by Crab—Childers—Miss Belvoir, (the best runner of her day,) by Grey Grantham, (son of the Brownlow Turk,)—Paget Turk—Leedes Arabian—Spanker.
1758. King Herod,† (Herod,) b. bred by the Duke of Cumberland, was got by Tartar; his dam by Blaze—Bethell's Arabian—Champion, (by Harper's Arabian—dam by Hautboy,)—Darley Arabian—Merlin by Bustler, son of the Helmsley Turk.
1764. Eclipse,‡ ch. bred by the Duke of Cumberland, was got by Marske;

* Marske was equal, if not superior, to almost every horse of his time, except Snap. He beat Brilliant. In 1776 he was in such low repute as to be sold for 20gs. Owing to Eclipse's celebrity he afterwards sold for 1000gs., and in 1778 he covered at 100gs. a mare. He was sire to many capital stallions and brood mares, besides Eclipse, imported Shark, (that won 20,000gs. eleven hogsheads claret, &c.) Stripling, Pontac, Hephestion, &c. In twenty-two years he got one hundred and fifty-four winners.

† Herod was a bay, fifteen hands high, of great substance, length, and power. His maternal line were stout and true runners. He had the highest renown on the turf, and became unrivalled as a stallion. His forte was bottom, with ability to carry weight. In nineteen years four hundred and ninety-seven of his get won £201,505 9d. The most distinguished were Highflyer, (his best son,) Woodpecker, Anvil, Bourdeaux, Florizel, Phenomenon, Punch, Adamant, Alexis, Balance, Boxer, Drone, Evergreen, Fortitude, Frowzel, Gleaner, Hammer, Ilrio, Justice, Laburnum, Magnet, Monkabout, Nebuchadnezzar, Orange, Plunder, Perdita, Pontifex, Postmaster, Quicksand, Spectre, Telemachus. Twenty-nine Herod mares produced noted winners. The following sons of Herod were imported, Punch, Slender, Pantaloon, and Porto. Mufti was by Fitzherod, son of Herod.

‡ Eclipse was the unrivalled racehorse of his day, the only one thought equal, if not superior to Flying Childers, having run four miles, carrying 168lbs., in 8m.; which with the customary deduction for weight, would have been 21s. better than the time of Childers, reducing it to 6m. 27s. It has been supposed had they flourished at the same period, Eclipse would have proven the best horse at four miles, if Childers might have been speedier for a mile or so.

his dam Spiletta by Regulus—Smith's son of Snake—Montague—Hautboy—Brimmer.

1768. Florizel,* b. (own brother to Bourdeaux,) bred by Sir J. Moore, was got by Herod out of the dam of Macbeth, and imported Flimnap, by Cygnet—Ebony, by Childers—Basto.

Eclipse is described as a most powerfully made horse, sixteen and a half hands (sixty-six inches,) high; a chestnut with a white hind leg; he was never esteemed handsome, but his mechanism was most perfect. His shoulder was thick, but extremely well placed. His hinder quarter appeared higher than his forehand. He had considerable length of waist, breadth of loin, and stood over a great deal of ground. He could distance any competitor; he was eighteen times a winner in two years, never having started until he was five years old. He was never beat nor paid forfeit £25,000 and an annuity of £500 for life, with the privilege of sending six mares to him annually, was the price asked for him by his owner, Mr. O'Kelly, who is said to have cleared by him £25,000. Within twenty-three years, three hundred and forty-four winners, his progeny, produced for their owners upwards of £158,000. Their prevailing excellence was great speed, they were not generally famed for stoutness, (bottom,) but were of fine temper. His seven best sons were Pot8o's, King Fergus, Mercury, Volunteer, Saltram, Dungannon, and Meteor; besides which he got Firetail, Soldier, Corporal, Sergeant, Don Quixote, Nina, Charlemont, Competitor, Gunpowder, Hidalgo, King Herman, Pegasus, *Scota*, Serpent, Squeak, Stripling, Devising, Eliza, Poor Soldier, Big Ben, Spitfire, Fair Barbara, Adonis, Lilly of the Valley, Boniface, Jupiter, Venus, Antiochus, Maria, Henley, Soujah al Doulah, Grimalkin, Dian, Thunderbolt, Lightning, Spinner, Horizon, Miss Hervey, Pluto, Plutus, Comet, Vertumnus.

The following sons of Eclipse were imported: Saltram, Obscurity, Traveller, Eclipse, and Northern Eclipse.

Eighteen Eclipse mares produced distinguished winners.

* Bourdeaux was a respectable competitor of Highflyer in his first sweepstakes, 100gs. each, and a distinguished runner. In 1778 he won 14hhds. of tobacco, at Newmarket, beating Laburnum. Bab by Bourdeaux, (Grand Duke's great grandam,) bred by Lord Derby, was the dam of Atlas, Knowsley, and eight more foals by Sir Peter, all of which, after the dam, were grey, as derived from Bourdeaux and Crab, including Gen. McPherson's imported Psyche, the dam of Blank, Mark Time, Lamballe, and Grey Beard. Blank was a first rate racer; she beat Transport and others of the first distinction, and was beat only once, (by Timoleon or Lady Lightfoot,) excepting her last race, when she broke down. Mark Time, being a twin, was unfortunately altered; he beat all competitors in South Carolina excepting Bertrand, and in Virginia, beat Washington, Aratus, &c., in the best time. Lamballe ran with success. Grey Beard was never trained. Florizel, own brother to Bourdeaux, won fifteen races, ten in succession, beating Shark and the best horses. Mambrino paid forfeit to him. He covered at 20gs. In eighteen years he got one hundred and seventy-five winners. He was sire to imported Diomed. (See Vol. 4, pp. 4, 5.)

1773. Woodpecker,* ch. Sir C. Daver's, was got by Herod; his dam by Cade—Lonsdale's Arabian—Bay Bolton—Darley Arabian—Byerly Turk—Place's White Turk—Taffolet Barb—Natural Barb mare:
1774. Highflyer,† b. Tattersall's, bred by Sir Charles Bunbury and sold young to Lord Bolingbroke, was got by Herod; his dam Rachel, (dam of Mark Antony,) by Blank—Regulus—Soreheels mare, (dam of Danby Cade, Matchless, and South;) Sir Ralph Milbanks' famous black mare, (the dam of Hartley's Blind Horse,) by Makeless, (son of the Oglethorpe Arabian,) out of a D'Arcy royal mare. Soreheels, by Basto, (see Byerly Turk,) his dam by Curwen's bay Barb, out of Partner's dam, sister to Mixbury.
1775. King Fergus,‡ ch. bred by Mr. O'Kelly, was got by Eclipse, out of

* Woodpecker was one of the best sons of Herod both as a racer and stallion. In his brilliant career he was twenty-eight times a winner. In 1781 he won the famous Clermont cup. Among others of celebrity he got the following imported horses: Buzzard, (also a distinguished winner, sire of Selim and Rubens, lately among the most popular stallions in England,) Cormorant, Manfred, Sea Gull, Dragon,—the last, Phœnix and Spectator also imported.

† Highflyer, next after Childers and Eclipse, was perhaps the best horse that ever ran in England. At three and four years old, in thirteen races, beating Dorimant, Dictator, Shark, and the best horses, he won 8920gs., and was never beat nor paid forfeit. In nineteen years he got four hundred and five winners. Of two hundred and ninety-seven of his progeny, as given alphabetically in the English Sporting Magazine, the most famed were Balloon, Bashful, Bergamot, Bolton, Bosky, (Conjuror,) Bangtail, Cony Lass, (Harlot,) Chariot, *Delpini*, (Hackwood,) Diamond, Escape, Eliza, Flyer, (Violet,) Galileo, (Moorcock,) Guildford, Hyperion, King David, Lady Teazle, Le Picq, Letitia, Louisa, Miss Blanchard, Marplot, Maid of All Work, Marcia, Omphala, Osprey, Phæton, Pharamond, Rockingham, (the best racer of his time,) Ragged Jack, Rattoon, Slope, Stargazer, *Sir Peter Teazle*, (winner of the Derby,) Star, Sir Pepper, Skylark, Skyscraper, (winner of the Derby,) Sourkrout, Spadille, Spider, St. George, Screveton, Stickler, Traveller, Topy, Thalia, Tidy, Vermin, Volante, (winner of the Oaks,) Walnut, Yeoman, Young Flora, Young Maiden.

Highflyer was sire of twenty-two brood mares, dams of noted winners. He got the following imported horses: Highflyer, (out of Angelica, sister to Sir Peter's dam, by Snap,) Craggs' Highflyer, Marplot, Star, Chariot, St. George, Spadille, Sourkrout, Cœur de Lion, Bergamot, and the Bay Colt.

We feel surprise and regret at having seen no good likeness nor description of Highflyer. His get and Eclipse's were so superior to all others, they carried some pounds additional weight.

‡ King Fergus ranks as high as any son of Eclipse—among the best horses of England. He was sire of Hambletonian and Benningbrough, winners of the great St. Leger stakes, consecutive years. Hambletonian in a long and brilliant career, beat all competitors, excepting that once he

Tuting's Polly, by Othello---Tartar---Starling---Childers---Grey Grantham, (son of the Brownlow Turk,)---Wilkinson's Barb---Bald Peg, (see Fox.)

1776. Fortitude,* b. Mr. Swinfen's, was got by Herod; his dam by Snap, out of Milksop, (sister to Young Cade,) by Cade, (a sister in blood to Matchem,) her dam, Miss Partner---the dam of Madam, Toy, Drowsy, Torismond, Miss Cade, Omnium, and Villager. (See Matchem.)
1775. Diomed,† ch. Sir Ch. Bunbury's, was got by Florizel; his dam by Spectator---Blank---Childers---Miss Belvoir, by Grey Grantham---(see Cygnet.)
1781. Delpini,‡ gr. bred by the Duke of Bolton, was got by Highflyer, out of Countess, by Blank, her dam by Rib---Wynn's Arabian---Alcock's Arabian---Grasshopper, son of the Byerly Turk. Rib by Crab, out of Doll, by Lord D'Arcy's Woodcock, (son of Merlin, by Brimmer,)---Moonah Barb mare.
1784. Sir Peter Teazle,§ b. (Sir Peter,) bred by the Earl of Derby, was got by Highflyer, out of Papillon, by Snap, (own sister to Arminda,

bolted, and the purse was taken by imported Spread Eagle, and once being amiss, he paid forfeit to imported Stirling; gained special fame by winning the most celebrated match ever run in England; his dam was by Highflyer, out of a Matchem mare. Of Benningbrough's performances we are not so well informed. He was sire to Orville, who was of as much celebrity, on the turf and as a stallion, as any horse of his day. He covered at 50gs. a mare, and was sire of Emilius, &c.

* Fortitude was the first to interrupt Diomed's brilliant career, by beating him, in 1781, at Nottingham, (see Diomed's memoir.)

† Diomed's celebrity is sufficiently established in the United States. He won the Derby, and all his first ten races, until beat by Fortitude. For his memoir in full see vol. 2. p. 521.

‡ Delpini was one of the famed sons of Highflyer. His dam Countess, by Blank, was the dam of Cobscar, Vizard, Gray Beard, and Horatia, (by Eclipse,) the dam of Achilles, Arch Duke, and Stamford, own brothers, by Sir Peter. Delpini got Golden Locks, dam of the famed Soothsayer, the grandam of the famed Fille de Joie, &c. Stamford was sire to the dams of Emilius, Lottery, Bruttendorf, Mameluke, &c. Delpini was a distinguished winner, but we are unable to give his performances.

§ Sir Peter Teazle, (commonly called Sir Peter,) bred by the Earl of Derby, has been regarded the most famed son of Highflyer; in three years, he was a winner of stakes to an immense amount, seventeen times, including the Derby stakes, and was the best racer of the time until he broke down, in 1789, the autumn he was five years old. As a stallion he was the most celebrated of any for the last fifty years. Sir Solomon, out of a Florizel mare; Haphazard, out of an Eclipse; Walton, out of a Dunganon; Cheshire Cheese, out of a Sweetbrier, and Sir Oliver, out of a Diomed; are said to have been, (at the period of an old publication,) his best sons.

Medley's dam,)—Regulus—Bay Bolton—Bartlet's Childers—Honeywood's Arabian—True Blue's dam, the Byerly mare.

1789. John Bull,* ch. bred by Lord Grosvenor, was got by Fortitude out of Xantippe, own sister to Alexander, Don Quixote, and Poor Soldier, by Eclipse—Grecian Princess, (sister to Grecian,) by Williams' Forester—the Coalition colt, (son of the Godolphin Arabian,)—Bustard, (own brother to Othello,)—Lord Leigh's Charming Molly, the best mare of her day, by Second, (own brother to Snip,)—Stan-yan's Arabian—Gipsey, by King William's no-tongued Barb—Makeless—D'Arcy royal mare. (John Bull's maternal ancestry, after the Grecian Princess, is that of Pegasus, Miss Kingsland, and Tabitha, Sir Archy's grandam.)
1796. Arch Duke,† br. bred by Sir F. Standish, own brother to Stamford, was got by Sir Peter; her dam, Horatia, sister to Achilles, by Eclipse out of Delpini's dam, Countess, by Blank.
1800. Sir Oliver,‡ b. bred by Lord Grey, own brother to Miss Teazle,

Besides which, mostly arranged chronologically, he got the following distinguished winners: Hermione, (winner of the Oaks,) Ambrosio, (winner of the St. Leger, and of the Oaklands, beating Gohanna and Trumpator,) Parisot, (winner of the Oaks,) Brass, Honest John, Petrina, Shepherd, Welshman, Black George, Demon, Pentacruce, Sir Harry, (winner of the Derby,) Arch Duke, (winner of the Derby,) Expectation, Fanny, Knowsley, Lady Jane, Polyphemus, Princess, Pushforward, Roxana, Agonistes, Robin Redbreast, Lancaster, Lucana, Telegraph, Attainment, Duxbury, Lethe, Pypylon, Ransom, Sir Simon, Walton, (a celebrated racer and stallion,) his own brother Williamson's Ditto, (winner of the Derby) Fyldener, (winner of the St. Leger,) Fadlindinida, Poulton, Eaton, besides many more capital runners. The following were the imported sons of Sir Peter: Arch Duke, Sir Harry, Knowsley, Robin Redbreast, Gouty, Honest John, Telegraph, Young Sir Peter Teazle, and Roan Colt. Lord Derby valued Sir Peter Teazle at 10,000gs. In fifteen years, Sir Peter got two hundred and ninety-six winners. He covered at 50gs.

* John Bull was the best racehorse of his day. He won the Derby, and 1792, the great produce stakes at the New Market Craven meeting, amounting to 4400gs.—the largest stake, excepting only those won by Gray Robin, and Dorimant, ever won in England. In 1803, as a stallion, John Bull was in repute second only to Sir Peter. In eleven years John Bull got eighty-one winners. His owner, Lord Grosvenor, held him as a stallion at 10,000gs.

† Arch Duke, by Sir Peter, was a colt of the highest promise, the best of his year, having won the Derby and a great stake at New Market; but unfortunately, meeting an accident, he was early withdrawn from the turf. He was imported into the United States, and became a popular stallion: he was sire to Polly Hopkins' dam.

‡ Sir Oliver, one of the best sons of Sir Peter, own brother to Fyldener, winner of the St. Leger, Poulton, also a capital runner, and Fadlindinida,

Josephine, Fyldener, Alexander [the First, Fadladinida, (Fylde's dam,) and Poulton, was got by Sir Peter; his dam Fanny, by Diomed, out of *Ambrosia* by Woodpecker—Ruth, own sister to High-flyer's dam, Rachel by Blank.

1803. Arch Duke,* br. bred by Lord Darlington, was got by Arch Duke, son of Sir Peter; his dam sister to Benningbrough, by King Fergus—Herod—Matchem—Duchess of Whitenose, (son of the Hall Arabian, out of Jigg's dam,)—Miss Slamerkin, by Young True Blue—Othello's dam. In this pedigree are the three consecutive crosses of Eclipse, (King Fergus,) Herod, and Matchem, exactly as in the famed Hambletonian.

1813. Grand Duke,† b. bred by Sir T. M. Stanley,‡ was got by Lord Darlington's Arch Duke, out of Handmaid, by John Bull; her dam by Sir Peter—Bab by Bourdeaux, (bred by Lord Derby,) sister to Saltram, by Eclipse—Virago, by Snap—Regulus—Crab—Miss Slamerkin, (see Othello.)

1822. Autocrat,‡ gr. bred by Lord Stamford, sold young to the Earl of Derby, was got by Grand Duke, &c. (see page 327.)

(Fylde's dam,) was a first rate runner especially at 'long distances. He ran second to Williamson's Ditto, "the speediest son" of Sir Peter," for the Derby, and third for the Leger; he won the Chester plate, beating the famous Cheshire Cheese; the Gold cup at Doncaster; and various other four mile races, in rapid succession, winning ten races in one year, (see Fylde's memoir, v. 5.) He became a popular stallion, and was sire to Oliver Cromwell, *Olivetta*, Hooton, Doge of Venice, Patriarch, all first rate runners; besides Stella, Olivia Jordan, Planet, Flash, Laura, Maria, Whynot, Worcester, Bravo, Caledonia, Cossack, Fitz Oliver, Olivera, Charles Surface, Olmypia, Olive, and other winners.

* Lord Darlington's Arch Duke, a very fashionably bred horse, was also a distinguished runner; but of his achievements we are not particularly informed. For his uncle Benningbrough, see King Fergus.

† Grand Duke, was a capital runner. At three years old he won his three first races, three out of four sweepstakes, and in the last ran second, in a large field; at four years old he won the Grosvenor stakes, when eight started, and ran other excellent races, carrying heavy weight, and giving odds. For his great grandam Bab, see Bourdeaux. Her dam was sister to imported Saltram, (one of the best sons of Eclipse; he beat Dunganon and Phenomena,) the sire to Whiskey, (the best horse of his day, and the sire to the famed Eleanor, out of Young Giantess, by Diomed,) and to the following imported horses: Whip, Oscar, Royalist, and St. Paul.

‡ Autocrat has proven himself worthy of his illustrious descent—imbued with so much Arabian blood from Delpini, and Woodpecker, tracing thirty-seven times to the Darley Arabian—twenty-five to the Godolphin Arabian—twenty-one to Flying Childers—thirteen to Bartlett's Childers—fourteen to Regulus—seven to Herod—five [to Eclipse, (but closer to them, whose "forte were stoutness, speed and ability to carry weight;") yet more

Autocrat's pedigree on the dam's side, and that of her sire, Sir Oliver, terminates in the fourth and fifth generation in the dam of Highflyer; that of his sire, Grand Duke, in the fourth generation, in the own sister to Sal-

nearly connected with the invincible Highflyer, tracing direct to him four times, besides twice to the own sister of his dam)—five to Blank—five to Snap—three to Sir Peter, (the best son of Highflyer, and also the unrivalled stallion of his day,) the "*excellence* of whose blood was derived from Herod, Regulus, Snap, and Blank;" Autocrat's maternal origin, both by Olivetta's sire Sir Oliver, and her dam Scotina, being derived from the *same* excellent source with Highflyer; that of his sire Grand Duke, from the *same* with Saltram and Othello; that of his paternal grandsire the *same* with Benningbrough, which also runs to Othello's dam Miss Slamerkin; and that of all his other connexions running also to the best sources. His "*stoutness*" as proven by his races of heats, and ability to carry weight, shows him to be a worthy descendant of Herod; and his speed in beating Wings, Dr. Faustus, &c., equally worthy of his Eclipse origin.

Autocrat's dam Olivetta, bred by Lord Stamford, like her sire, was a distinguished runner at long distances. She won three races, at three years old, also acquiring reputation in those she lost; and she next year gained farther celebrity, especially in winning the gold cup at Warwick; four miles.

Olivetta was the dam of Rainbow, a celebrated stallion, exported to France or Germany, Adventurer, Ostrich, Coestus, Play or Pay, Halston, (that beat Fylde once and Hedgeford twice,) Zitella, and others—in all twelve foals.

Ostrich, as Mr. Mytton's, at three years old, was winner at Knutsford and Warwick. Mr. Mytton's Halston, the best son of Banker, in his brilliant career, has won twenty-two races; 1827, at two years old, 275gs. at Chester, 175gs. at Ludlow, and the Chillington stakes at Wolverhampton; 1828, the Palatine stakes at Chester; 100gs. at Newton; 75gs. at Worcester; 200gs. at Burton; the Avon stakes at Warwick; 155gs. at Oswestry; the Taffy and Pengem stakes, Holywell. 1829, the Tradesmen's cup at Chester, beating Fylde, and others, the cup at Knutsford; 350gs. the Pengem stakes, and 115gs. at Holywell. 1830, to close Mr. Mytton's career on the turf, he was again winner. He now past into other hands and we are uninformed of his further achievements, excepting as gathered from Fylde's memoir, having run second to him for the gold cup at Newton, "the only race he lost that year," being a year younger, he carried 8st. 9lbs. to 8st. 12lbs.

Scotina, her dam, bred by Lord Stamford, was the dam of Maid of Dunham, Minima, Olive, Peter Fin, Stumps, and others.

Scota, her dam, was a famous race nag, belonging to the Prince of Wales, who won with her a celebrated match at Lewes, four miles against Lord Barrymore's Highlander. She was the dam of Cabin Boy, and Scottilla—the dam of Gustavus, Planet, Stella, Melissa, Jupiter, Olympia, Comet, and others.

Harmony, her dam, bred by the Duke of Ancaster, was the dam of

tram; and both Grand Duke's pedigree and his sire's (Arch Duke,) terminate in Miss Slammerkin, the dam of Othello, or Black-and-all-Black. Besides his origin, and the many crosses of the Godolphin Arabian, through

Chanter, and Hautboy, own brothers to Scota, by Eclipse. Chanter was a capital runner, he beat the best horses of his day, Alexander, Balloon, Spartacus, Le Picq, Grantham, &c.

Rutilia, her dam bred by the Duke of Ancaster, own sister to Rachel, Highflyer's dam, and to Ruth, Ambrosio's dam, (see Sir Oliver and Fylde,) was descended as follows: Ch. D'Arcy's royal mare, (of course introduced into England from abroad under direction of the king,) was the dam of Sir Ralph Milbank's famous Makeless mare, the dam of Hartley's blind horse, and of the Soreheels mare, the dam of Danby Cade, Matchless, South, and Highflyer's grandam, by Regulus; this Regulus mare was dam to the own sisters, Ruth, Sir Oliver's great grandam, (by Blank,) foaled 1761;—Rachel, Highflyer's dam, foaled 1763; and to Rutilia, Autocrat's great great grandam, foaled 1769. Ruth was dam to Shamster, Xanthippus, (Vagrant,) Rosalia, (Watson's Nancy,) Chryseis, Telamon, (Short Bob,) Gossamer, imported Slender, Gonzales, Ambrosia, and Amber. Rachel was dam of Mark Antony, Muslin, Dunny, Antonia, Highflyer, and Doricles. Rutilia, bred also by the Duke of Ancaster, was dam of Latona, Harmony, and Clay Hall.

Of those imported into the United States, since the last war, Fylde, whose racing qualities probably came from his dam, own sister to Sir Oliver, grandsire of Autocrat, is probably the nearest related to him; but he also partakes very much of the blood of Luzborough, and Leviathan; especially of the latter, whose sire was by Orville, and his dam's sire by Benningbrough, (Orville's sire;) his great grandam Virago, by Snap, (see Grand Duke,) besides other near crosses of Sir Peter, Diomed, and Matchem.

A few of the horses that were lately most famed in England, are nearly from the same stock:

1826, Phantom, a grandson of Sir Peter, dam by a son		
of Saltram—Diomed—Matchem,	covered at 50gs.	
Orville, by Benningbrough, his dam by High-		
flyer,	"	50gs.
Whalebone,	} own brothers, by Waxy; their g. dam by Highflyer—Snap—Blank. Waxy, by Eclipse, his dam by Herod.	" 21
Whisker,		" 21
Woful,		" 15
		" 15
Selim,	} own, brothers, by imp. Buzzard, (son of Woodpecker,) their dam by a son of Eclipse.	" 15
Rubens,		" 15
Emilius, by Orville, dam by Stamford,	"	15
Partisan, by a son of Sir Peter, dam by a son of		
Eclipse,	"	15
Filho da Puta, by a son of Sir Peter, dam by		
Waxy, a son of Eclipse,	"	15

Emilius and Filho were sires to the famed Priam and Birmingham, lately the two best horses in England; the first out of an own sister to Eleanor,

his best sons, Autocrat has an unusual degree of Arabian blood, through Delpini and Woodpecker; of Herod blood, through Sir Peter, Florizel, Delpini, Fortitude, &c.; and of Highflyer blood through his descendants, and by running twice to own sisters of his dam; and also has a sufficiency of the Eclipse blood, from his great grandam Scots.

Autocrat's gray color is to be traced to Crab, through Delpini, and Bordeaux, an uninterrupted succession of one hundred years. Gray has proven an excellent racing color; besides those renowned in England, and the get of Medley and Messenger, both grays, we may especially name Leviathan, Hampton, Reality, Johnson's Medley, Betsey Ransom, Mark Time, Ariel, Bonnets o'Blue, O'Kelly, Ironette, and Mary Randolph, of the first celebrity.

By beginning with Autocrat's pedigree, and running back in the usual way, it will appear that in him are united streams of excellent blood from all the horses whose names precede his; and by that means, may be readily ascertained the number of times he derives his descent from those unrivalled stallions, the Darley and Godolphin Arabians, Flying Childers and his brother, Regulus, Blank, Snap, Herod, Eclipse, Highflyer, Sir Peter, &c.

With this view of his own blood and performances, with those of his connexions, shewing him to be of "one of the best running families in England," it is but fair to conclude, that Autocrat will meet such success in this country, as will perpetuate the fame of his ancestry. He has been one season in New York, where we understand his colts are promising and held in high esteem; and another, the last, in Virginia. It gives us especial pleasure to learn that Maryland is to have the benefit of his services the present season.

DIMENSIONS OF AUTOCRAT.

Since the preceding article has been in print, we have received the dimensions of Autocrat, measured with great accuracy by one competent to the task, which differs in so few respects from those of Timoleon, as contrasted with imported Leviathan and American Eclipse's, in vol. 4, page 377, though generally larger than either, that we consider it unnecessary to give the whole, but only a few particulars, in which the four are contrasted.

	Autocrat.	Timoleon.	Leviathan.	Am. Eclipse.
Height in the withers,	66in.	66½in.	64in.	61in.
Height at loin,	64	69½	64	61
Round cannon midway,	10½	8½	9	7½
Round hock,	18½	16½	16½	16½
Round cannon,	10½	9½	9½	8½
Round body, at the girth,	78½	73½	72	74
Round body, at flank,	77½	73½	72	74

(see Saltram,) and the later out of an Orville mare. Lottery, by Tramp, and Bruttendorf, half brothers, were out of a Stamford mare; as was the famed Mameluke, by Selim. Longwaist was by Whalebone, his grandam by Benningbrough. The famed Soothsayer's dam was by Delpini, as also the dam of Fille de Joie, and Cain.

CLARET.

This beautiful young horse was imported into Virginia, in the ship Hark Away, in company with his renowned sire Chateau Margaux, and the sister to Scheme, and landed at City Point on the 13th October, 1834.

He was bred by Christopher Wilson, Esq., and foaled in 1830. He was got by Chateau Margaux, the best *four mile* horse of his day, and one of the best sons of the famous Whalebone; his dam by the capital racer and stallion Partizan; his grandam, Silvertail, was got by Gohanna, the best four mile horse of his day, and equally celebrated as a stallion; his great grandam by Orville, who covered at £52 10s., out of the dam of Rubens, Selim, Castrel, &c. by Alexander—Highflyer—Alfred—Engineer—Bay Malton's dam, by Cade—Lass of the Mill, by old Traveller—Miss Makeless, by Young Greyhound—Partner—Miss Doe's dam, by Woodcock—Croft's Bay Barb—Desdemona's dam, by Makeless, out of old Thornton, by Brimmer—Dickey Pierson—Burton Barb mare.

Chateau Margaux was bred by Lord Egremont, and foaled in 1822. He was got by Whalebone; his dam Wasp, by Gohanna—Highflyer—Chanticleer's dam, by Eclipse—Rosebud, by Snap—Miss Belsea, by Regulus—Bartlett's Childers—Honeywood's Arabian—dam of the two True Blues. He was a *splendid racer, particularly at long distances*, winning when four years old nine races, and losing one, and when five years old, winning eight times and losing *none*, and among his winnings he counts the Claret stakes, and *all his engagements over the Beacon Course*. Being withdrawn from the turf in 1829, he covered in Yorkshire until 1831, when his sire, Whalebone, died, on which event, he was brought to Petworth, to serve Lord Egremont's stud, where he remained until the fall of 1834, when he was imported into Virginia. His get are running with great success in England.

Whalebone was the *best son of Waxy*, who was the *best son of Pot8os*, who was perhaps *the best* of the many capital sons of Eclipse, out of the celebrated Penelope, by Trumpator, the chief of the Matchem stock of horses—Prunella, by Highflyer—Promise, by Snap—Julia, by Blank—Spectator's dam, by Partner—Bonny Lass, by Bay Bolton—Darley's Arabian—Byerly Turk—Taffolet Barb—Place's White Turk—Natural Barb mare. Penelope was the dam of Whisker, Woful, Web, (dam of Middleton,) &c., besides Whalebone perhaps her best produce, and was as good a brood mare as any ever raised in England. Whalebone was bred by the Duke of Grafton, in 1807, who about the year 1822, exchanged him for Election, a capital son of

Gohanna, with Lord Egremont, in whose possession he died in 1831. He was a *first rate racer at all distances*, and *has left behind him a stock, whose running qualities are hardly equalled*, and which have *more stoutness and game* than any others in the kingdom. The stoutness or bottom of the Whalebones is proverbial, and so remarkable that reference is sometimes made to it for illustration. The following is an extract from an English work of high merit. "It will be more appropriate to the present inquiry, to notice him (Lord Egremont) as a supporter of the turf; and as having in his day, nay, as still possessing some of the *very best blood*, of the best stables, and not a few of the *finest animals*, whether for the stud or the race course. As system and plain speaking in a matter of business, are worth even the eloquence of a Cicero, we *go straight to our work, like the Whalebones of Sussex, and hope to run home, as well, and as strong as they do.*" Among Whalebone's colts, we find Waverly, sire of The Saddler, Moses, winner of the Derby, Longwaist equal to any horse of his day. Camel, sire of Touchstone, winner of the St. Leger, Flexible, Stumps, Lapdog, winner of the Derby, Cetus, Gayhurst, Sir Hercules, Spaniel, winner of the Derby, Vestris, Roundwaist, Lionel Lincoln, Black Swan, Recruit, Merman, Hindostan, Hindoo, Whale, and many others, and a long list of fillies distinguished on the turf and in the stud.

Partizan, the sire of Claret's dam, was also bred by the Duke of Grafton, and foaled in 1811,—being got by Walton (one of the best sons of Sir Peter, out of Arethusa, by Dungannon, one of the best sons of Eclipse, &c.;) his dam Parasol, by Pot8os, son of Eclipse—Prunella, by Highflyer—Promise, by Snap, &c. Partizan's performances were capital, and for many years he has been one of the favorite and most popular stallions in the kingdom, being considered the best son of Walton. He is the sire of Godolphin, lost on his passage to America, Mameluke, Glaucus, Skiff, Paul Jones, Rapid, Rhone, Patron, Pastime, Cotillion, and many others of great distinction.

Gohanna, the sire of Silvertail, the grandam of Claret, was bred by Lord Egremont in 1790, and got by Mercury (a favorite son of Eclipse, out of the famous old Tartar mare) his dam by Herod—Maiden, sister to Pumpkin, by Matchem, out of the celebrated old Squirt mare, &c. The old Squirt and old Tartar mares were the best brood mares of their day. Gohanna won twenty-two prizes—the three classes of the Prince's stakes, the Claret stakes, five king's plates, five plates of £50 each, and 5760 guineas in specie. "This well bred horse (own brother to Precipitate, imported into America) was not only a capital racer but proved a famous and valuable stallion, "the boast of Sussex and the pride of Petworth." He was the sire of

Skine, Canopus (that got the famous Centaur*) Golumpus, the sire of Catton Hedley, Wanderer, Election, &c. He died in 1815, twenty-five years old.

The dam of Silvertail (*the dam also of Centaur*) was got by Orville, who won the great St. Leger, and many other races, and as a stallion occupies the very highest niche. He was bred by Lord Fitzwilliam in 1799, being got by Benningbrough (the best son of King Fergus, one of the best sons of Eclipse) out of Evelina, by Highflyer—Termagant, by Tantum—Sampson—Regulus—Marske's dam. He died in 1826, at the age of 27. He is the sire of Emilius, Muley, (the sire of Margrave, Muley Moloch, Leviathan (imported) Mussulman, &c.) Master Henry, (he died on his passage to the United States in 1833) Bizarre, Andrew, (the sire of Cadland) and many others of note. Emilius is at this time the favorite stallion in England, covering by subscription at 50 sovereigns, and is the sire of Priam, winner of the Derby, Riddlesworth, Sarpedon, (imported in 1834,) Plenipotentiary, winner of the Derby, and "the lion of the day," and many of the best horses of the present time.

The grandam of Silvertail was the famous brood mare, the dam of Selim, Rubens and Castrel, all three capital racers and favorite stallions; being got by Alexander, (own brother to Xantippe, John Bull's dam) a son of Eclipse, whose dam was got by William's Forester—Coalition colt (son of the Godolphin Arabian)—Bustard—Lord Leigh's Charming Molly, by Second. Selim is the sire of Sultan, now covering at 50 sovereigns—of Logic, Tancred, Champion, of the dam of Camel, &c. Rubens covered several years before his death at 30 guineas, and is the sire of Sovereign, Sir Joshua, Peter Lily, Wouvermans, Hampden, (that beat Centaur over the round course at Newmarket, carrying, when four years old, 144 lbs. in 7m. 4s.) Nicolo, Bobadil, Oppedan, of the dam of Camarine, the best mare of her day, &c. Castrel got Merlin, (the sire of Lamplighter, &c.) Bustard, Princess Royal, Castrellina, dam of The Saddler, &c.

The next cross is Highflyer, whose performances and character are so well known and so highly appreciated, that it need only be said, that he was the best racer and stallion of his day.

Alfred, own brother to Conductor, (sire of the famous Trumpator, the best grandson of old Matchem) Dictator, &c. was one of the best and best bred sons of Matchem, out of a Snap mare, whose pedigree

*Centaur won 24 out of 33 times. When five years old he, carrying 160lbs., ran over the round course at Newmarket in 7m. 4s. which is at the rate of 7m. 35½s. for 4 full miles. See Am. Turf Reg. vol. 2, p. 57, &c.

runs through a long line of distinguished names to "the old Montague mare."

It would be useless to explain Claret's pedigree any further. Indeed it is already extended so much, that we must find our justification for its length, in *its unrivalled excellence, and singular richness and purity*, embracing as it does, in an eminent degree, in its *various connections*, and by the *closest affinity*, the *most distinguished horses*, both on the turf, and in the stud, in ancient and modern times, and combining and uniting the best crosses of the *Herod and Matchem and Snap blood*, and more especially the *stoutest strains of the Eclipse blood*, from Eclipse himself, and his sons Pot8os, King Fergus, Mercury, Alexander, and Dungannon, sire of Bedford.

Claret's first appearance on the turf was in 1833, when he was three years old.

At Newmarket, Craven meeting, 1833, he was beat for the Riddlesworth stakes of 200sovs. each, h. f.; colts. 8st. 7lbs., fillies, 8st. 4lbs., Ab. M. (Seventeen subscribers,) by Lucius, by Emilius and Anglesea, by Sultan, beating Blank, by Lottery, and Joanna, by Sultan. The pace was good.

Five to four against Claret, the first favorite who ran a *good third*.

He was beat at the same meeting for the Column stakes at 50sovs. each, (fifteen subscribers,) R. M.; at the second spring meeting for a handicap plate of £50, A. F.; and at the July meeting for a handicap sweepstakes of 10sovs. each. T. Y. C. (about three quarters of a mile.)

At Stamford, July 17, the noblemen and gentlemen's plate of 50sovs.; three years old, 6st. 12lbs., four, 8st. 7lbs., five, 9st. 3lbs., six, 9st. 8lbs., and aged, 9st. 10lbs.; the winner of a cup or sweepstakes to carry 4lbs. extra, and heats twice round.

Mr. Wilson's b. c. Claret by Chateau Margaux, three years old,

Mr. O'Connor's b. g. Carlton, four years old,

Lord Exeter's Mantillo, (sister to Greenmantle,) by Sultan, three years old,

Next day, Town plate of 50sovs.; for three years old colts, 8st. 7lbs., and fillies, 8st. 4lbs., horses that have won once this year, to carry 3lbs., twice, 5lbs., three or more, 7lbs. extra; heats once round.

Lord Exeter's b. c. Iman by Sultan,

Mr. Wilson's b. c. Claret, 3lbs. extra,

Col. Peel's b. f. Malibran by Whisker,

Malibran won four times this year at Newmarket.

At Huntingdon, Tuesday, August 13, the Hinchinbrook plate of 50sov., heats once round.

Mr. Wilson's b. c. Claret, three years old, 101lbs.

Mr. Batson's b. f. Banquet, four years old, 116lbs.

Mr. Pigot's bl. h. Coroner, aged, 125lbs.

Lord Exeter's b. f. Mantilla by Sultan, three years old, 93lbs.

In this race he beat the celebrated horses *Coroner*, and *Banquet*, and *Mantilla*, sister to *Greenmantle*, at three heats.

Wednesday, August 14, the Member's plate of 50sovs. &c., heats once round.

Mr. Wilson's b. c. *Claret*, three years old, 103lbs. - 1 1

Mr. Bacchus's b. f. *Lady Charlotte*, three years old, 97lbs. 3 2

Mr. Blop's b. m. *Water Witch*, five years old, 122lbs. - 2 3

Won easily. *Lady Charlotte* won seven times this year, (1833.)

Newmarket, Houghton meeting, £50. Two years old, a feather, three, 7st. 5lbs., four, 8st. 9lbs., five, 9st. 3lbs., six, 9st. 7lbs., and aged, 9st. 10lbs.; last three miles of *Beacon* course. Twelve horses contended for this prize, and it was decided as follows, all twelve, a circumstance quite unusual, being placed by the judge.

Mr. Wilson's b. c. *Claret*, three years old, 103lbs, - - 1

Lord Clarendon's ch. f. *Datura*, four years old, 121lbs. - 2

Mr. Mills's *Juliana*, two years old, - - - 3

Mr. Stanly's b. c. by *Whalebone*, two years old, - - 4

Mr. Hart's b. f. *Bashful*, two years old, - - - 5

Mr. Chifney's b. f. by *Emilius*, &c, three years old, - 6

Lord Chesterfield's b. f. *Dirce*, three years old, - - 7

Mr. Fox's *Tesane*, three years old, - - - 8

Mr. W. Edward's br. c. by *Slainborough*, &c, two years old, - 9

Mr. J. Edward's ch. c. *Tim*, three years old, - - 10

Mr. Forth's *Robinson Crusoe*, two years old, - - - 11

Mr. Gully's b. c. *Deceiver*, three years old, - - - 12

Won easily and in handsome style.

Datura beat this year, (1833,) Sir M. Woods' famous *Lucetta*, Protocol, Hawker, and *Byzantium*, two and a half miles at *Ascot Heath*, won the king's plate at the same place, beating *Languish* and two others, beat the *Witch*, (winner six times this year,) and *Dinah* for the king's plate, beat the *Cardinal* and *Vagrant* for the *Northamptonshire* cup stakes, (nineteen subscribers,) twice round, won the county plate of 70sovs. two and a half miles, beating *Wilna*, winner four times, and *Catalonian*, winner three times this year; beat at *Abington*, that extraordinary horse *Little Red Rover*, three miles, beat *Lucetta*, the *Beacon* course, and ran second for the handicap plate of £100, at *Newmarket*, beating *Salute*, *Lucetta*, *Basto*, *The Saddler* and another. D. I. (upwards of two miles.)

Dirce beat *Cactus*, *Toby*, *Anglesea*, *Lucius*, *Anti-Catholic*, *Malibran*, &c., this year. *Tesane* was a good runner, as were *Deceiver*, the *Shoveller* filly, (Mr. Chifney's,) and one or two others.

In 1834 *Claret* was again trained, and was the *first favorite* for the *Oatland* stakes, one of the great sweepstakes at *Newmarket*, D. I. (upwards of 2 miles) in which were engaged *Galata*, *Trustee*, Sir Robert, *Chantilly*, *Anne*, *Quartetto*, *Vespa*, winner of the *Oaks*, 1833, *Titus*, *Malibran*, &c. all good ones. But early in the spring, and before he had run in public, he unfortunately trod in a ruck while taking his exercise, and thereby wrenched and injured his off foreleg

and knee so much as to render it necessary to throw him out of training altogether. The above were the only times of his starting, and he has not run at all since this accident, which unfortunately arrested his career in the midst of the most flattering success, and at an age when his powers had just began to be fully developed.

The performances of Claret indicate, that he possesses the *characteristic game or bottom of his stock*. The races which he lost were short, while on the other hand, he won in every instance, except one, his races of heats of long distances.

Claret is a rich dark bay, five feet two inches high, of good length, and of great substance and power. He is a neatly and highly finished model of the high mettled racer, exhibiting in his form the best and most accurate proportions, and the greatest symmetry and beauty. His head, eye and neck, are very fine, his shoulder large, deep, strong and oblique; back short, loin pretty wide, a little arched and strong; his body well ribbed and deep, and his limbs clean, well proportioned, easy in their motion and strong. He has good bone and firm dry muscle. He is a horse of admirable form, where nothing could be added with advantage, nothing taken away, and hardly any thing altered. His blood, form, performances, the racing qualities of his stock, his size, good temper and fine action, all assure us that he will prove a valuable acquisition to this country. M.

MEMOIR OF HANEY'S MARIA.

She was bred by Bennet Goodman of Virginia, who moved to North Carolina, where she was foaled, in 1808, from there he moved to Sumner county, Tennessee, the spring Maria was a year old, and the fall after sold her to his neighbor, to Capt. Jesse Haney for \$100.

Maria was a chestnut, about two or three shades darker than American Eclipse, she was exactly five feet high; she was got by imported Diomed, her dam by old Bellair, her grandam by Symme's Wildair, her great grandam by imported Othello, out of an imported mare. This is her pedigree as heretofore given, Capt. Haney says it is correct, except that there was no Othello cross. Maria had a medium sized head, which was a good deal dished, her jaws were wide apart and muscular, her neck was short, deep, and thick; she was very deep in the shoulders, which did not incline to the hips in the least, but were perpendicular; her withers were high and thin; her fore legs were very wide asunder, just under the shoulders, but were close at the ankles, and were remarkably small, immediately under the knees; her body was very deep, round, and lengthy, and contained most huge ribs; she was very wide between the hips, which were rather high, and very strong; the loin was not arched, not even when she was fat; stifles wide spread and muscular; her thigh had great width, but was mus-

cular only on the outside, the balance of the hind leg was exactly right; her feet were larger than common, and were somewhat inclined to be flat; when fat she looked short, very heavy, and pony built, but when reduced, she appeared to have fine length; she had a slow, piddling walk, a short, rough, trot—her best *gait was a run*. In training she was very vicious, in exercise lazy, but in a race she ran free and always kindly.

Fall of 1811, she won a sweepstakes \$100 entrance, two mile heats, beating Bell's mare, by imp. Diomed, Gen. Jackson's Decatur, by Truxton, and four others, all distanced the first heat but Bell's mare.

Fall of 1812, she won a sweepstakes, \$500 entrance, four mile heats, beating *again* Bell's mare, Clifden, and Dungannon, one paid forfeit.

Fall of 1813, she won, carrying 118lbs. a sweepstakes, \$1000 entrance, four mile heats, beating Gen. Jackson's celebrated *four miler* Pacolet, by imp. Citizen; two paid forfeit. It was said Pacolet had been injured in a fore ankle.

After this race some Virginians who were present, remarked there were geldings in Virginia that could beat her. Haney proposed to them to match her against any horse *in the world, any distance*, from one to four miles out, for \$4000. Seeing Gen. Jackson a few minutes afterwards he told him what had been said, with a quickness and energy peculiar to the latter, he replied, "make the race \$50,000, she can beat any thing in God's whole creation."

Next fall she was matched to run four mile heats against Pacolet, but he paid forfeit.

Same fall she won a Jockey Club purse of \$275, beating Jas. Jackson's Tam o'Shanter, Mr. Lyttle's Royalist, and two or three others, distance not recollected.

Shortly after she won the Jockey Club purse of \$350, only one competitor dared to start against her, distance not remembered. These races were all run at Nashville, and were won very easily.

Two weeks after she won at Clover Bottom, (two miles from the Hermitage,) a match against Dewett's mare, by imp. Eagle, for \$1000 a side; one mile out, both carrying 80lbs.; won with all imaginable ease.

Fall of 1815, at Nashville, she won a match against the same mare, £100 was bet on the straight quarter, six hundred yards, and half mile; Maria won all, (£300,) beating her antagonist one hundred feet, under a hard pull, 100lbs. on each.

Next week at Nashville, she won a match against Col. Ward's *Western Light*, \$1000 a side—won easy.

Not long after she beat her old competitor, Dewett's mare, a match for \$1000 a side, Maria was to beat her a distance, (one hundred and twenty yards,) in one of two heats, of two miles; Simon, her rider, (who was fully equal to Tayloe's Dick, or any other rider *that ever straddled a horse*,) was ordered to make the first mile of the first heat in two minutes, and to run at the same pace five hundred yards of the next, and then to run for a distance. He obeyed his instructions strictly, making the first mile in precisely two minutes, and keeping on exactly at the same pace, five hundred yards farther;—here Dewett's mare was up to Maria's hips, but when Simon

touched her with the spur *such a rush* was never seen, she made from there home a *gap* of one hundred and eighty-four yards, and run the last mile in 1m. 48s. All those who witnessed this race say they never saw such a burst of speed, before or since, both carried 100lbs.

In March, 1816, she won at Lexington, Kentucky, a match, \$1000 a side; against Robin Gray, by imp. Royalist, 100lbs. on each.

Next month she beat near Gallatin, Mr. Childers' Woodlawn filly, by Truxton, a straight half mile, for \$1000 a side; giving her sixty feet, Maria won the race by two feet only.

She was then taken to Waynesborough, Georgia, where she bantered the world any distance, but was not taken up; she returned in January, 1817, and was shortly after sold to Mr. Armer, agent of Pollard Brown, for \$1000, and was then taken to Charleston, S. C., where for the first and only time she was beat by Transport, and Little John, four mile heats. I have been verbally informed, that Maria beat John the first heat, and that all three were lapped on passing the judges' stand, the last heat; Mr. Samuel Purdy rode her this race, and was three or four pounds too heavy. For all these races Maria was trained by G. B. Williams, *now* the Arthur Taylor of the *west*, but at that time he trained according to the old rules, and was known on one occasion to gallop her sixteen miles! in heats of a mile each. Such training must have injured her speed greatly. Notwithstanding she beat a quarter of a mile the famous quarter horse Saltram, that was rarely or never beaten; this was in a private trial, he give her 20lbs. Judging from her blood and runs, her bottom fully equalled her speed. She indeed, was one of the best nags *the world ever saw*. Gen. Jackson has conquered all his own and his country's enemies—except Maria. 'The tariff, bank, and "the beast with seven heads and ten horns," nullification was nothing compared to her. What a national misfortune that she was not retained in Tennessee, and bred to Pacolet.

The facts detailed were communicated by Capt. Haney, who spoke of his old *favorite* and *benefactor* with a freshness of recollection and a warmth of feeling that did credit to both his head and heart. Maria died near Charleston, leaving, it is said, only two colts, her dam produced Miss Balie, (owned near Natchez,) a good runner, but more distinguished as the dam of Bingaman's celebrated Little Red.

GROSVENOR.

We publish from the Washington Globe the following notice of

SIR HENRY, FULL BROTHER OF MONSIEUR TONSON.

[It was intended for the last number.]

He will cover the next season at Fayetteville, Tennessee.

We have seen a portraiture of this fine horse, by the English artist Troye. It is said by those who have seen Henry, to be a striking likeness, but inferior to the original. We are not surprised at the performance of the son, Daniel O'Connel, or the high reputation of his sire. 'The spirit and proportions of a majestic animal are exhibited

successfully in this picture. It receives life and animation from the lofty crest, pointed ear, prominent, sparkling eye, and distended nostril. It combines symmetry and beauty, with vast strength and muscular power. It unites the back, loin, quarters, depth of carcass, and general length of Pacolet, and the lofty air of Topgallant, with the neat limbs, elastic pasterns, and deep hoofs of Medley.

Henry is fifteen hands three inches high, ten years old, just passing from "the iron gray of youth, to the hoary white of age." He perpetuates a singular mark of his sire—a red belt passing from midway his back down his side.

Henry is the property of the Hon. Balie Peyton, of Tennessee, who has placed his portrait in the hands of that enterprising artist, Mr. Bannerman, of this city, to be engraved for the embellishment of an early number* of Mr. Skinner's most interesting periodical, the American Turf Register. Mr. Bannerman has justly acquired celebrity for his Sarpedon, and amateurs are encouraged to expect in this engraving the preservation of the best model of Pacolet.

* It will embellish the March number, that will contain also a memoir of the imported four mile horse Autocrat. We take occasion to quote here from a communication of a correspondent.

"As our horses are confessedly of the best English stock, it may, perhaps, be sufficient to shew that they have not degenerated among us, and that as a consequence no improvement can result, only so far as it may furnish a new cross, and that those are best adapted to our use that partake least of the blood already among us. I shall select but three instances to shew that the best qualities of the racehorse have been transmitted through many generations without degenerating, and many others might be added, and I am persuaded that the recollection of any gentleman would furnish him with many similar instances.

"The American bred horse Partner was the sire of Mark Antony, he the sire of Collector, and he again the sire of Snap Dragon, all good four mile horses and this too at a period, when it was fashionable to breed for the turf only from imported stallions.

"Mazeppa, by Hotspur, the best colt of his year; Hotspur, by Timoleon, and he by Sir Archy; as these horses seem not to have degenerated in four generations, I think it would be somewhat difficult to fix on the period when that shall occur."*

[* Pacolet produced by Madam Tonson, four first rate racers at all distances; Monsieur Tonson, Sir Richard, Sir Henry Tonson, and Champion, (Henry though injured in his first training, fully sustained the reputation of the family as runners.) They have not tarnished the reputation of their sire. Monsieur Tonson bids fair to maintain in the stud, his reputation as a stallion. Richard is dead, and with few good mares has left excellent stock. Champion has been destroyed by disease. Henry, as a stallion, seems destined to fill the same space in the west which Monsieur does in

TYCHICUS.

MR. EDITOR:

Nashville, January 21, 1835.

Tychicus traces through Cœur de Lion, a horse much neglected on account of his misfortunes, but no purer breed was ever brought from England to America; by Highflyer, *the best son of Herod*, out of Dido, *the best daughter*, (I believe,) of *Eclipse*. The very excellent running of Tychicus has afforded me great satisfaction. W. W.

[The above from Pantou, one who has never written any thing about Luzborough or Tychicus, nor is he at all interested in either. We hope it will not cause any nervous twitchings to any reader.]

VETERINARY.

BIG-HEAD IN HORSES.—A CURE.

MR. EDITOR:

In looking over your January number for the present year, I saw an inquiry from a Plain Farmer, requiring some information relative to the big-head in horses, I will say to him that it is not only a cure for big-head, but also big-jaw and shoulders, I have known it to cure many valuable horses. I have no doubt of the disease being scrofula.

TREATMENT.—*Bleed freely once a week*; for three or four weeks give best corn. Put one ounce of the Bi-chloride of Mercury, (better known by the name of corrosive sublimate,) in one pint of alcohol, let it digest, then rub the part affected twice a day, morning and evening, until the part blisters well, then anoint the part with sweet oil, in a few days it will commence healing, then repeat the application once or twice more and the horse is cured without the least scar or in the least disfigured. M.

DEATH OF OLD MEDLEY.—INQUIRY.

MR. EDITOR:

Pittsylvania Co. Va., Jan. 21st, 1835.

Will you, in your next number of the Register, give us the following information.—In what year was old Medley, (Harts'), imported into this country, and in what year did he die. We have seen two or three different accounts. Several old gentlemen about this neighborhood knew the horse well: and one in particular says he was well acquainted with the

the old Dominion. Daniel O'Connell, a two year old, sired by Henry, has been successful in two contests of mile heats, the past fall at Hartsville, and Nashville, in one of which, he ran a mile in 1m. 49s.—carrying 72lbs. He justly ranks with the best colts of the day. A two year old colt by Telegraph, a grandson of Madam Tonson, has also been a winner in fine time. Thus we have no evidences of degeneration in the Tonson family.]

owner, and knows that some of the accounts given of him are incorrect. It will be of service to some young beginners in this section of the country to have these fairly understood to prevent impositions, as it is frequently the case that mare and filley are offered for sale, tracing back to old Medley, when in reality they are not of the most remote cross. Also say if there was a horse gotten by old Medley called Wild Medley, which stood in or near Halifax Town, North Carolina; his blood, the year, and all the information you may possess or can get on the subject, and much oblige several of

YOUR SUBSCRIBERS.

[P.S.—We hope those who can will favor us with answers to the above.]

DISEASE IN A YOUNG POINTER.

MR. EDITOR:

Fredericksburg, Va., January 27th, 1835.

Though personally unknown to you in your public capacity, as the conductor of a Sporting Magazine, I feel well acquainted. I have a young dog, (a pointer,) of great promise and value, which has been taken with a disease known here as the jerks. It appears as the sudden contraction of the muscles of a limb. It proceeded, as I am induced to believe, from a slight attack of the common distemper. If you know of any remedy or could send me any pamphlet treating of the disease, you would confer a lasting favor on one who is fond of the pointer to extravagance, and who would most willingly oblige you in any possible way. Yours,

J. M. P.

[We do not know that this dreadful effect of that most terrible disease, the distemper, can be cured. It were better to touch still deeper the spinal marrow, and put an end at once to his disorder and its miseries. This nervous affection results, no doubt, from some injury of the spine. We have lately saved the life of a very splendid young dog, presented to us by Mr. T. P. Gaskell of Philadelphia, by the valuable recipe communicated by a correspondent. *Common salt*, a table spoonful dropped at the root of the tongue and the mouth kept closed until it dissolves. It will vomit *immediately*; if not sufficiently relieved, repeat the dose the next day or day after.]

ANECDOTE OF THE DOG.

At one of our frontier posts there was a pointer slut in heat, she was shut up with a pointer dog. The officers of the garrison, (among others Majors G. and M.) being out with other dogs on a wolf chase.

The wolf, in his run, made towards the garrison, which being observed by the soldiers they, fearing he might escape, let out the two confined dogs. These saw the wolf and instantly made after him. The slut coming up among the first seized the wolf by the throat, hanging on like a bulldog, and while so engaged one of the other dogs mounted and lined her.



DEATH OF THE BIG BUCK.

MR. EDITOR:

*Fountain Head, Sumner County, }
Tennessee, Feb. 7th, 1835. }*

For some five or six years passed, there has been a very large buck who occasionally visits our neighbourhood, he was a great lover of corn, he could be started generally out of our fields, he was noted not only for his size but also for the deformity of his feet. He never had any crossing places when on the chase, but always ran to consult his safety, he would mount the highest fences, plunge through the heart of the largest cornfields, and, like reynard, the biggest swamps, thickly set with the bramble, was his happiest resort—warranted only by a consciousness of his own superior strength, which gave his bone and muscle the swiftness of the arrow. He would hang upon the clear silver fountain, occasionally crossing it, until man, horses and dogs would have been willing to have thrown themselves down and suffered their wearied systems to have become calm from the mighty struggle;—whilst he would satiate his thirst, consult the winds of heaven, rear his white flag with disdain, and contemptuously remind them of their folly. He has often been fired at with the shot gun, on reaching the spot, the huntsman would inquire what is done, the answer, a little blood, but he is off. There appeared to hover over him a mysterious providence—the shades of the valley of summer was his resting place and the place of his manhood—the crowing of the cock would say to him, to yonder grove repair and listen for the footsteps of him who seeks thy life—enviored on every side by them who silently hide to give the fatal blow:—but, hark! the sound of the voices of the enemy of my race is close at hand, the music of the pack tells the standers that he is coming, he is right—now, forty yards, and the roar of the musket is heard on the morning's breeze, and his masterly spirit is still on foot:—each armed by the deadly weapon, and

only cheered by the music of the pack which he is ere long to make feel their folly and madness. But with him, as all human exertions, the car of his fortune has taken a turn, and his last struggle is to be brought to a close;—he is again in the neighborhood of Fountain Head, after an absence of some months. His arrival is announced, a select company is chosen; they are stationed, and the tongue of old Charon tells that he is within the drive, after a hard struggle and he is on foot, and the pack close at his heels, he twines his course towards one of our fallen sons of Adam, whose appearance would make the lion crouch, or the untameable hyena hesitate, but the buck, conscious of his own powers, rushes on. For the first time the rifle tells, and he falls, there he lies all stretched on the ground—weltering in his own blood, and offering up his last breath to the lords of creation. Here he is surrounded by savages and saints, all talking at the same time, and all declaring that he was the largest buck in the world. While one of the party was swearing most vehemently, none there was in this mixed assemblage that rebuked his wickedness. After he was eviscerated he weighed 207 pounds. M.

MR. BULTEEL'S HOUNDS.

Corringdon Fox—Brilliant run—Five hours and a half—Death.—On Friday, the 26th December, Mr. Bulteel's fox hounds met by appointment at Ivy Bridge, when it was understood, or at least hoped, that they would again try for the Corringdon fox (Dr. Butters' covers,) which had already afforded two fine runs this season. Hunters were accordingly sent over night to Ivy Bridge from Plymouth, Tavistock, and other places—and numerous hacks, gigs, and other vehicles put in requisition at early dawn.

Hark! away! was the general cry from Ivy Bridge, then over the moors to Coryndon. A finer field of horsemen and prads has seldom been seen in Devonshire—consisting of noblemen, baronets, senators, squires, lawyers, doctors, ministers, officers (of the navy and army,) yeomen, mechanics, and Christmas holiday folks—upwards of 60 in all, and 40 in scarlet—steeds, too, famed for valour and racing renown—regular clippers. At ten minutes past 11 o'clock the whole pack chimed in and made "the welkin ring" and the woods resound with their shrill, sharp, and deep tones. Reynard gallantly faced the open in sight of the whole field. Tally ho! "At him my lads," goes the governor, there he breaks cover, there he goes up the moor, "a fine lashing shaver." Away, away! and tally ho! became the universal cry; a prettier sight was never witnessed in Devon, The "var-

mint" leading up the rough hill, the beautiful pack was well laid on at the brush, and such a fine charge of Cavalry "in the rear." There was no need of caution or fear that any person would ride over the hounds with such good scent. Onwards they go between the Beacon and Hangers-hall-rock, looking towards Ivy Bridge, there turning short to the right, and leaving Harford Church on the left down to the Eastern bank of the Erme river, pursuing it upwards along its mazy windings to Erme Plains, Stoney Bottom, and Hooh Lake, leaving Piles and Sharp-Ton to the right, then pointing strongly for Huntingdon Warren, over the heavy fag (turf) ground where the horses became too fagged to follow them—then turning short by Western Whiteborough and Peter's Cross, owing, it is said, to hearing another pack a-head, came back with a side wind by Knatty Borough and Hickley Plain, straight home to Corringdon. If the sight was so beautiful at finding, how much more cheering was it, to behold the merry pack, utterly lost for a time, unexpectedly returning over the moors without a horseman after them, doing all the work by themselves!! in full cry, and at the top of their speed, with heads up and tails down, evidently gaining on their intended victim, undulating like a flight of pigeons in the air, but still keeping all together, vieing with each in speed and eagerness, with "Warbler" (fine hound) leading to the wall, which was instantly copied by six hounds abreast. Onwards still they dashed to the wood, which the "varmint" had barely time to thread and pass over the water to Owley, and back again through Corringdon Court, the arena of his frequent devastation amongst the poultry, to the Ball and plantation where we first started. Where are the horsemen we inquired?—It was amusing to look back over the moors, and see the cavalry singly or by files returning, a few in a trot—fewer in a canter, and many walking, and not a few leading those coursers which looked as fleet and fierce in the morning as Mazeppa—Egad, Mazeppa was there. The accounts of the campaign brought in were, that the bogs and peat holes had floored them all, and that through this six cavaliers were unhorsed at one time. This burst of 10 or 12 miles occupied 55 minutes without a check. But the day's work was not yet done—it was half past noon. The next two or three hours were occupied in disputing the fortress of Skitscombe Gorse with our enemy,

"Who, flying death, had there concealed his flight,
In brakes and brambles hid, and shunning mortal sight."

Possession is said to be nine points of the law. This was our Reynard's home and favorite habitation—

"Home is home be it ever so homely."

Surrounded by foes the animal displayed resources truly wonderful in doubling back, running foil quickly behind the hound, and eluding the vigilance of numerous spectators. Often in a little patch of furze was the occupant environed by 20 or 30 dogs, and half as many men, who tallied fifty times over, yet could not capture the wished for prize. It was a labyrinth, and a mystery to divine how escape was effected. It was "Lombard-street to a China orange" that Reynard should die here—neither law nor physic, which were both at hand, could be supposed to rescue the prisoner; yet, by cunning and subtlety, after all, a safe retreat was effected, and the fortress unwisely, as it proved, abandoned.

Having recovered what is called a "second wind," the animal tried another burst around Ugborough Moor and Corringdon Ball to Treloud, and thence away at a racing pace, over Brent Moor into the Holts at Radbrook. The terriers soon bolted the "varmint," which took another turn, stopping short in a drain, doubling behind the horsemen and hounds unobserved, back by the same line to the Holts, leading many a good sportsman to believe that the hounds had hunted heel, and leaving us in despair, until Favorite gave out that herself and a terrier were under the rocks combating with the prey, which, after some labor, was dragged out quite dead. It proved to be a fine old grey-headed lusty dog-fox, and not the "vicky," as many supposed, who, it is hoped, still lives to cheer us with another day's sport.

The greatest praise is due to this magnificent pack, which performed their work throughout in admirable style, and to the master, whose perseverance and good humor could not be exceeded. It was now near 5 o'clock, getting dark and cold, and blowing a stiff east wind. Many a horse and his rider will rue the death of the Corringdon Fox, and having to go 18 miles back to Plymouth. One horse dropped on the moor and remained all night in the cold winds.

[*Bell's Life in London*, Jan 4.]

CHESS.

Games actually played in the Westminster Club.—No. 1.

This series will include all the most skillful games which fall under our notice as played in this Club by the first players of the time. We add copious notes, for the instruction of young players. No game in this selection will ever have been printed in any other shape, and none will be given which have not been just played—"novelty and excellence" being our motto. As the Westminster Club unites all the leading players of the

period, we hardly care, at present, to look elsewhere for matter—though well authenticated games of merit will not pass unregarded from whatever source they may be received.

[Black gives the K. B. P., and two moves.]

WHITE.

1. K P two squares }
2. Q P two squares }
3. K P advances
4. K R P two squares
5. K Kt to B third
6. K B to Q third
7. Q B P one square
8. K R P one square
9. Kt to K R fourth
10. K B to Kt sixth
11. B takes B
12. Kt to Kt sixth
13. Q to Q third
14. Q takes Q
15. K B P two squares
16. Kt takes K B.
17. Kt to Q second
18. Kt to K B third
19. P takes P
20. K to K B second
21. Kt to K R fourth
22. B to K third
23. Q R to K Kt square
24. Kt to K B third
25. K R to R fifth
26. Kt to K R fourth
27. R to Q Kt square
28. Kt takes P
29. R takes Kt
30. Q R to K Kt square
31. K Kt P one square
32. R covers
33. K Kt P one square
34. K to B third
35. R covers
36. B to K B second
37. R to K R fifth
38. P takes R
39. R checks
40. K B P advances
41. K B P advances
42. K to K third
43. R takes Q B P
44. B to K R fourth

BLACK.

1. _____
2. Q Kt to B third
3. Q P two squares
4. Q B to K third
5. K R P one square
6. Q B to K B second
7. K P one square
8. Q to Q second
9. Castles
10. Q to K square
11. Q takes B
12. K R moves
13. Q to K B fourth
14. P takes Q.
15. K Kt to K second
16. Rook takes Kt
17. Q R to K Kt square
18. K Kt P one square
19. R takes P
20. K R to Kt second
21. R to K Kt fifth
22. Q Kt to Q square
23. R to K Kt sixth
24. Q R to K Kt third
25. K R to Kt fifth
26. R to Q Kt third
27. K to Q second
28. Kt takes Kt
29. Q R to K Kt third
30. K R to R fifth
31. Rook checks
32. R to K R eighth
33. K to K second
34. R to K R sixth, checks
35. R to K R seventh
36. Q R to Q Kt third
37. R takes R
38. R takes Q Kt P
39. Kt covers
40. K to B square
41. Kt checks
42. R takes Q R P
43. R to Q Kt seventh
44. Kt to K third

WHITE.

45. R to K seventh.
46. R to K R seventh
47. R takes K R P
48. R to K Kt sixth
49. R to K Kt square
50. K to Q second
51. K to K third
52. B to K Kt third
53. R to Q Kt square
54. R to Q Kt fourth
55. K to K B second
56. K to Kt second (2)
57. R takes Q Kt P (3)
58. R to Q Kt third (5)

BLACK.

45. R to Q Kt third
46. Q R P two squares
47. Q R P advances
48. K to B second
49. R to Q Kt sixth
50. R checks
51. R to K R seventh (1)
52. R takes P
53. Kt to Q square
54. R to R sixth
55. Q Kt P two squares
56. Q R P advances (pretty)
57. Kt to Q B third (4)

(1) A weak move: should have played up Q Kt P two squares.

(2) In order to prevent his playing R to K R 8.

(3) If you had taken Rook with K, he would advance Q R P another square; and you could not prevent its Queening.

(4) Again he may leave Rook en prise of K: for, if you take it, he advances Q R P.

(5) This move decides the game, and Black instantly resigned. His Rook is en prise, and, if he advance Q R P another square, you play R to Q R third.—This game is not among the most brilliant we have seen, but it is evenly and soundly played. Many situations in it offer good points of study; and it appears to be fairly won from the odds given, without gross error on either side.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

LADY JACKSON.—A mistake in regard to her performance corrected—being an old communication hitherto mislaid.

Without wishing to detract, at all, from the merits of Lady Jackson as a first rate racer, for such I believe her to have been—yet, I do not think that, under any circumstances, she was capable of performing what is stated of her in your Register, vol. 1, page 258, by "An Amateur but no Jockey;" viz: "we have lately seen Lady Jackson perform a mile in 1m. 44s. at the Duchess County Races, State of New York."

There must be a mistake in the above.

Yours respectfully,

D.

MR. EDITOR:—

Hillsborough, Feb. 21, 1835.

You ask corrections, permit me to point out one in the January number, see page 221. "Anvil, four years old, by Monsieur Tonson; out of Isabella, by Sir Archy, this fall also acquired celebrity as a first rate runner, by beating Medoc in the three mile heats at Baltimore." This does great injustice to Orange Boy, who beat both Anvil and Medoc, both of which horses made their best races the same fall, and some few days after losing at Baltimore, at least, such is my impression.

B.



RACING CALENDAR.

NASHVILLE, (*Tenn.*) RACES.

Fall meeting, 1884, commenced Monday, October 6.

First day, sweepstakes for colts and fillies three years old, mile heats, \$1000 entrance, \$500 forfeit.

James Bass's (of Rutherford,) b. c. by Havoc, dam by Conqueror,

Robt. L. Weakley's b. f. by Arab, dam by Black-and-all-Black, 1 1 2 2

B. Johnson's b. c. by Sir William, dam Kate Bevins, by Conqueror, paid forfeit.

Time, 1m. 57s.—1m. 58s.

Bets two to one on the Havoc colt and won with great ease under a hard pull both heats.

Same day, a sweepstakes for two year olds, \$100 entrance, a single mile,—six subscribers.

R. Cheatham's ch. f. by Leviathan, dam by Pacolet, - 1

S. J. Carter's b. f. by Stockholder, dam by Sir Archy, - 2

D. W. Sumner's b. c. by Pacific, dam by Drybones, - 3

G. A. Wylie's b. c. by Leviathan, dam by Topgallant, threw his rider, - dis.

C. Creacy's gr. f. by Richard, dam by Stockholder, fell, - dis.

P. W. Campbell's ch. c. by Young Virginian, dam by Daredevil, paid forfeit.

Time, 1m. 56s.

This was a very interesting contest, the handsomest *colt* race we ever witnessed. It excited great interest from the value and composition of the rival stock, and the beauty and fineness of the contending animals. There was much betting, principally two to one on the *two* Leviathans against the field; and also *even* bets on Wylie's against the field, which was decidedly the favorite—Gen. Cheatham's said to be out of order.

A *faux pas* was made at the start, some one in the crowd giving the word, which the riders mistaking for that of the judges, bursted off, and run nearly a quarter before they could be pulled up.

Second day, three mile heats.

D. W. Sumner's ch. m. Red Doe, by Pacific, - 1

Holland Davis' ch. m. Rachel Jackson, by Conqueror, - dis.

Time, 6m. 17s. Track heavy from recent rains.

Third day, two mile heats.

R. Cheatham's b. f. by Pacific, dam by Oscar, three years old,	-	-	-	-	4	1	1
R. L. Weakley's ch. h. Rocky River, by Stockholder,	-	-	-	-	1	2	dis.
R. Smith's b. h. Tortlyse, five years old, by Richard, dam by Topgallant,	-	-	-	-	2		dis.
R. Desha's ch. h. Dragon Canoe,* by Stockholder, out of a Dragon mare,	-	-	-	-	3	-	
Time, 4m. 25s.—4m. 35s.—5m. 6s. Track very heavy.							

Fourth day, four mile heats.

A. Cotton's b. c. John Dawson, four years old, by Pacific,	-	-	-	-	1	1	
B. Peyton's br. h. Anvil, five years old, by Monsieur Tonson, dam Isabella,	-	-	-	-	2	2	
P. W. Long's gr. h. Richard, five years old, by Sir Richard, dam by Sir Archy,	-	-	-	-			dis.
W. Gilbert's br. g. Buck, five years old, by Pacific, dam by Oscar,	-	-	-	-			dis.
Time, 8m. 56s.—8m. 52s.							

Anvil was decidedly the favorite, and bets of two and three to one freely offered against the field. The course was a perfect *swamp* from the great quantity of rain which for several successive nights had fallen.

Fifth day, mile heats, best three in five.

Gen. Desha's ch. m. Mary Farmer, by Conqueror,	3	4	1	1	1		
R. Smith's b. h. by Richard, - - -	4	3	2	2	2		
P. W. Long's b. f. by Arab, - - -	2	2	3	3	3		
H. Davis' b. h. Washington, by Washington,	1	1				dis.	
Time, 2m. 5s.—2m. 8½s.—2m. 9s.—2m. 15s.—2m. 15s.							

CHILLICOTHE, (Ohio) RACES.

First Fall meeting, 1834, commenced on Tuesday, the 21st October.

First day, association purse, \$100, mile heats.

John Harley's b. c. Independence, three years old, by Bertrand, dam by St. Tammany, 86lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	1	
Jacob May's b. c. Moreau, three years old, by Bertrand, dam by Dragon, 86lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	2	
James Prior's b. f. Dinah Bizare, three years old, by Monsieur Tonson, dam by Sir Charles, 83lbs.	-	-	-	-	3		dis.
Time, 2m.—2m. 2s.							

Second day, association purse, \$100, two mile heats.

William L. Thompson's ch. m. Isora, five years old, by Bertrand, 107lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Thomas B. Scruggs' ch. f. Favorite, four years old, by Sumter, dam by Shark, 97lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	2	2
James Prior's ch. m. Polly Washington, five years old, by Regulus, dam by Eagle, 107lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	3	3
Time, 4m. 5s.—4m. 5s.—4m. 10s.							

Third day, association purse, \$100, three mile heats.

Lester Cone's b. m. Polly Hopkins, six years old, by Bertrand, dam by Black's Whip, 115lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	3	1
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* Fell and killed himself in the second heat, which occasioned a temporary drawing up of Tortlyse.

William Palmer's b. c. Little Turtle, three years old, by
 Bertrand, dam by Florizel, 86lbs. - - - 2 4 2
 George H. St. Clair's br. h. Chifney, five years old, by John
 Richards, dam by Defiance, 110lbs, - - - 3 2 3
 Thomas B. Scruggs' b. c. Orphan Bay, four years old, by
 Bertrand, dam by Whip, 100lbs. - - - 4 1 dis.

Time, 6m. 6s.—6m.—6m. 5s.

In the last heat Orphan Boy was seriously injured in one of his forelegs.

Fourth day, association purse, \$100, mile heats, best three in five.

Thomas B. Scruggs' b. f. "Atalanta of Cincinnati," three
 years old, by Cherokee, dam by Tiger, 83lbs. - - - 1 1 1
 James Prior's ch. m. Polly Washington, five years old, by
 Regulus, dam by Eagle, 107lbs. - - - 2 2 2
 Time, 1m. 58s.—2m.—2m.

J. F. WOODEIDE, *Sec'ry*.

OXFORD, (N. C.) RACES.

Fall meeting, 1834, commenced Tuesday, Oct. 28.

First day, sweepstakes for three year olds, \$100 entrance, three started.

R. L. Hargrave's ch. c. by Washington, dam by Virginian, 1 1
 John White's b. c. by Virginian, dam by Sir Archy, - 2 dis.
 P. B. Starke's b. c. by Timoleon, dam by Director, - dis.
 Time, 2m. 5s.—second heat not kept.

Second day, Proprietor's purse, \$300.

P. B. Starke's b. h. Z. A. by Marion, - - - 1 1
 W. McCargo's b. h. Tuskeno, by Monsieur Tonson, - 2 2
 John White's b. h. Champ, by Canova, - - - 3 3
 R. L. Hargrave's b. h. Jack Downing, by Marion, - - dis.
 Time, 4m. 10s.—4m. 8s. Track very heavy from recent rains.

Third day, Jockey Club purse, \$750.

W. McCargo's ch. m. Lucy Ashton, by Gohanna, - 1 1
 P. B. Starke's ch. m. Tuberoze, by Arab, - - 3 2
 R. L. Hargrave's b. m. Patty Burton, by Marion, - 2 3
 Time, 8m. 20s.—8m. 19s. Track still very heavy.

Fourth day, handicap purse, \$150, with the entrances.

Mr. Williamson's ch. h. Flag, by Sir Charles, - 2 1 1 1
 R. L. Hargrave's br. m. Maid of Southampton, by Mon-
 sieur Tonson, - - - 1 2 2 2
 John White's h. Blue-Black, by Van Tromp, - dis.

Time, 1m. 58s.—2m. 3s.—1m. 58s.—2m. 4s.

Track somewhat improved but still heavy. Blue-Black again proved
 restive and flew the track.

This was a most interesting race, closely contested every heat.

M. HUNT, *Sec'ry*.

HILLSBORO' (Geo.) RACES.

Fall meeting, 1834, commenced Tuesday, 16th December.

First day, mile heats, for saddle, bridle, &c.

Marcus D. Vance's ch. c. Leon, four years old, by Jackson, dam
 by Whip, - - - 2 1
 Young Johnston's b. g. Black Hawk, seven years old, by Tag-
 gerwhip, dam by Buzzard, - - - 1 dr.
 Time, 1m. 56s.

Second day, two mile heats, purse \$200.

T. Neal's g. h. Muckle Andrew, six years old, by Mucklejohn,			
dam by Sir Andrew,	-	-	1 1
Mark D. Vance's bl. c. Sir Jasper, four years old, by Jackson,			
dam by Whip,	-	-	2 dr.

Time, 3m. 58s.

Third day, purse \$200, three mile heats.

Thomas Neal's g. h. Muckle Andrew, six years old, by Mucklejohn, dam by Sir Andrew,	-	-	-	1 1
Joseph Hester's c. h. Mucklejohn, seven years old, by Mucklejohn, dam by Potomac,	-	-	-	3 2
N. G. Fitch's ch. f. Jane Wiley, three years old, by Baron Trenck, dam by Syrtorius,	-	-	-	2 rd out.

Time, 6m. 20s.—6m. 21s.

Fourth day, best three in five, purse \$175.

M. D. Vance's Sir Jasper,	-	-	-	1 1 1
N. G. Fitch's Jane Wiley,	-	-	-	2 2 dr.
Wm. Nelson's g. g. Ready Cash, five years old, by Jefferson, dam by Quicksilver,	-	-	-	dis.

Time, 1m. 56s.—1m. 57s.

Sir Jasper was handicapped at 86lbs., but for the want of a rider had to carry 93lbs. Jane Wiley handicapped at 80lbs. and had to carry 96lbs.

R. C. CLAYTON, Sec'y.

WILMINGTON (N. C.) RACES.

Over the Clarendon course, December meeting, 1834.

The following weights are carried by the rules of the Club:—two years old, a feather; three years old, 86lbs.; four years old, 100lbs.; five years old, 110lbs.; six years old, 118lbs.; seven years old, 124lbs.; mares and geldings allowed 9lbs.

First day, mile heats, free for any nag, purse \$100 and the entries.

Wm. B. Meares' b. f. Miss Selden, three years old, by Giles Scroggins, dam Caroline, by Sir Archy,	-	-	-	1 1
Dr. Jno. Hill's br. c. Lath, four years old, by Turner's North Carolinian, dam Sally Stroud, by Kirksey's Bedford,	-	-	-	2 2
Jno. Dawson's ch. c. Dickey, three years old, by Washington, dam by Morris's Sir Archy,	-	-	-	dis.
Joshua James' ch. g. Hornet, aged,	-	-	-	dis.

Time, 2m. 7s.—2m. 3s. Track very heavy from previous rains.

Same day, a match for \$200 a side, p.p., one mile out.

Wm. B. Meares' b. f. Lady Clinton, three years old, by Giles Scroggins, dam by Sertorius,	-	-	-	1
Gab'l Holmes' b. f. Flirt, three years old, by a son of Sir Archy,	-	-	-	2

Time, 2m. 6s. Won easily.

Second day, two mile heats, free for any nag, purse \$150 and the entries.

Wm. M. West's ch. c. Isham Pucket, four years old, by Arab, dam by Shawnee,	-	-	-	1 1
Jno. Dawson's b. c. Carolinian, three years old, by Turner's North Carolinian, dam by Eagle,	-	-	-	2 2

Time, 4m. 15s.—4m. 19s. Track heavy but improved.

Third day, mile heats, best three in five, free for any nag, purse \$150 and the entries.

Wm. M. West's ch. f. Miss Bett, three years old, by Marion, dam by Gallatin, - - - - - 1 1 1

Ino. Dawson's ch. f. Laura McCargo, four years old, by
Stockholder, dam by Pacolet, - - - - 2 2 2

Dr. Jno. Hill's br. c. Lath, four years old, by Turner's North Carolinian, dam by Kirksey's Bedford, carried by consent of parties. 86lbs.	-	-	-	-	-	9	3	3
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Jos. A. Hill's gr. g. Rob Roy, by Decatur, aged,	-	4	4	4
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Time, each heat, 2m. 1s. Track good. JOHN A. TAYLOR, Sec'ry.

COLUMBIA, (S. C.) JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

Annual meeting, 1835, commenced Tuesday, January 13.

First day, Produce sweepstakes for three year old colts, two mile heats, \$100 entrance, h. f., only two started, the rest paid forfeit.

Col. J. R. Spann's ch. f. Seaflower, three years old, by Claremont, dam Poor Girl, 87lbs. - - - - 1 1

Col. P. Fitzsimmon's b. f. Ettinan, three years old, by Crusader,
dam Sally Melville, 87lbs. - - - - - 2 dr.

Time, 4m. 6s.

Second day, four mile heats, purse, \$800.

Geo. Walden's br. c. Argyle, four years old, by Monsieur Tonson, dam Thistle, 102lbs. - - - - - 1 1

Col. J. R. Spann's ch. h. Bertrand jr., seven years old, by Ber-					
trand, dam Transport, 126lbs.	-	-	-	-	3 2

Col. McCargo's ch. f. Lucy Ashton, four years old, by Gohanna, dam unknown, 99lbs.	-	-	-	-	-	2	9
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John Singleton's b. g. Conrad, seven years old, by Kosciusko,
dam Duck Filly, 123lbs. - - - - - 4 dr.

Time, 8m. 4s.—8m. 16s. Track heavy.

Third day, purse \$600, three mile heats.

Col. P. Fitzsimmons' b. f. Fanny Richards, four years old, by Maryland Eclipse, 99lbs. - - - - - 1 1

Geo. Walden's b. h. Herr Cline, five years old, by Sir Archy, dam by Gallatin, 112lbs.	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
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Col. W. S. Thompson's ch. c. Eutaw, four years old, by Archy Montorio, dam by Virginian, 102lbs.	-	-	-	3	3
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Col. J. R. Spann's ch. f. Seaflower, by Claremont, dam Poor Girl, 87lbs. - - - - - dis.

Time, 6m. 6s.—6m. 13s.

Fourth day, two mile heats, purse \$400.

Col. McCargo's ch. f. Lucy Ashton, four years old, by Gohanna,
dam unknown, 97lbs. - - - - - 1 1

Col. J. J. Moore's ch. c. Minor, four years old, by Claremont, dam Leocadia, 102lbs.	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
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Geo. Walden's gr. f. Chestatee, three years old, by Bertrand,	
dam Viola, 87lbs.	3 9

Col. J. R. Spann's ch. c. Little Davie, four years old, by Archy Montorio, dam by Goldfinder, 102lbs. - - - 4 4

Geo. Taylor's ch. c. Blackstocks, four years old, by Congaree,
dam by Hephestion, 102lbs. - - - - - 5 5

J. G. Rives' ch. f. Jeannette, by Crusader, dam by Virginian,
a feather. - - - - - dis.

Dr. J. G. Guignard's ch. c. Edisto, three years old, by Reliance,
dam by Sertorius, 90lbs. - - - - - dis.

Time, 4m. 4s.—3m. 57.

Fifth day, purse \$400, mile heats, best three in five.

Geo. Walden's b. h. Herr Cline, five years old, by Sir Archy, dam by Gallatin, 112lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
John Singleton's br. g. Conrad, seven years old, by Kosci- usko, dam Duck Filly, 123lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	4	2
Col. J. J. Moore's gr. g. Dangerfield, five years old, by Cha- racter, dam unknown, 109lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	3	3
Col. J. R. Spann's b. m. Julia, five years old, by Bertrand, dam by Transport, 109lbs.	-	-	-	-	4	2	4
Dr. J. G. Guignard's b. f. Kate, three years old, blood un- known, 87lbs.	-	-	-	-	5	dis.	
Time, 1m. 56s.—1m. 57s.—1m. 55½s.							
Track one mile ten feet.							

N. RAMSAY, Sec'ry.

MILLEDGEVILLE, (Geo.) RACES.

Fall meeting, 1834.

First day, mile heats.

Mr. Winter's b. m. Lady Burke, five years old, by Falstaff, 107lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	1	
J. J. Harrison's b. m. Adelia, four years old, by Sir Archy, 97lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	2	
M. D. Vance's ch. c. Leon, four years old, by Jackson, 100lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	3	
Time, 1m. 58s.—1m. 58s.							

Second day, two mile heats, colts only.

Mr. Winter's ch. f. Maria Annette, three years old, by John Richards, 83lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
J. J. Harrison's c. f. Jane Wiley, three years old, by Baron Trenck, 83lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	2	2
Mr. Howard's gr. f. three years old, by Medley, 83lbs.	-	-	-	-	bolted.		
Time, 4m. 3s.—4m. 5s.—4m. 14s.							

Third day, three mile heats.

J. J. Harrison's b. m. Jane Bertrand, six years old, by Ber- trand, 115lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Mr. Winter's d. h. Grand Turk, by American Eclipse, 124lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	2	2
Mr. Mott's c. h. Muckle John, jr. by Muckle John, 124lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	dr.	
Messrs. Howard & Kenan's gr. f. three years old, by Med- ley, 83lbs.	-	-	-	-	bolted.		
Time, 6m. 6s.—6m. 4s.—6m. 8s.							

Fourth day, four mile heats.

Mr. Moore's gr. h. Governor Hamilton, five years old, by Sir An- drew, 110lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	1	
Mr. Winter's b. m. Fanny Richards, four years old, by Maryland Eclipse, 97lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	dr.	
Mr. Harrison's b. h. Tam O'Shanter, five years old, by Monsieur Tonson, 101lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	dr.	

Fifth day, mile heats, best three in five.

Adelaide, five years old, by Arab, 107lbs.	-	-	-	-	3	1	1
Young Andrew, five years old, by Andrew, 110lbs.	-	-	-	-	2	3	2
Lady Burke, five years old, by Falstaff, 107lbs.	-	-	-	-	1	2	dr.

LIST OF STALLIONS FOR 1835.

Name and Color.	Sire.	Dam.	Place of Standing.	TERMS. per ins.	Address of Owner, Agents, &c.
Apparition, b. (imp.)	Spectre	Young Cranberry	Ellicott's Mills, Md.	\$20	T. R. S. Boyce
Autocrat, gr. (imp.)	Grand Duke	Olivetta	Leonardtown, Md.	40	H. G. S. Key
Andrew, ch.	Sir Charles	By Herod	Milledgeville, Geo.	60	Howard & Kenan
Allworthy, b.	Aratus	By imp. Buzzard	Near Lexington, Ken.	12	E. Warfield
Arab, br.	Sir Archy	Bet Bounce	Murfreesboro', Tenn.	30	G. S. Crockett
Alborak, ch.	Constitution	By Pacolet	Newberry Dist. S. C.	20	T. H. Henderson
Behemoth, b.	Arabian Bagdad	Rosy Clack	Princeton, Ken.	30	Youree & Co.
Bellair, b.	Sir Archy	Old Favorite	Near Murfreesboro', Tenn.	30	Leonard H. Sims
Busiris, ch.	American Eclipse	Grand Duchess	Near Philadelphia.	35	John Elliot
Bussorah, (Arabian)			Powhatan Co. Va.	20	Capt. Finney
Chanticleer, b.	Sir Archy	Black Ghost	Near Gloucester c. h. Va.	25	P. R. Nelson
Columbus, ch.	Sir Archy	By Jack Andrews	Washington, (D. C.) course.	20	R. Porter
Cock of the Rock	Duroc	Romp	Gallatin, Tenn.	60	Barry & Buford
Collier, ch.	Sir Charles	By Whip	Madison, Ken.		J. E. Miller & Co.
Chateau Margaux, b. (imp.)	Whalebone	Wasp	Hicks' Ford, Va.	75	J. Avery & A. T. B. Merritt
Carolinian, b.	Sir Archy	By imp. Druid	Charlotte c. h. Va.	100	Richardson and Gaines
Crusader, ch.	Sir Archy	Lottery	Gallatin, Tenn.	50	H. M. Cryer.
Cannibal, b.	Mucklejohn	By Oscar	Macon, Geo.	25	W. D. Grimes
Carroll, b.	Mucklejohn		Jacksonville, Ken.	15	
Claret, (imp.)	Chateau Margaux	By Partizan	Charlotte c. h. Va.		Wyatt Cardwell
Critic, ch.	American Eclipse	By Eclipse Herod	Near Ellicott's Mills, Md.	20	C. S. W. Dorsey
Contention	Sir Archy	By Daredevil	Augusta, Geo.	25	J. J. Harrison
Contract, ch. (imp.)	Catton	Helen by Hamiltonian	Hillsboro', N. C.	60	A. J. Davie
Eclipse, (Amer.) ch.	Duroc	Miller's Damsel	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	100	Edward Johnson
Eclipse Lightfoot	American Eclipse	Lady Lightfoot	Near Boydton, Va.	60	John C. Goode
Fyde, b. (imp.)	Antonio	Fadladinda	Near Richmond, Va.		R. C. Williamson
Forester, ch.	Sir Alfred	By Selden's Hornet	Westminster, Md.	20	Jacob Powder, Jr.

Festival, ch.	American Eclipse	By Timoleon	Smithfield, N. C.	30	40	John MacLeod
Gray Beard, gr.	Kosciusko	Imp. Psyche	Rockfish, Va.	20	30	John B. Coles
Gascoigne, b.	Roanoke	Lady Gascoigne	Charlotte c. h. Va.			
Gohanna, ch.	Sir Archy	Merino Ewe	Richmond, Va.	75	100	John M. Botts
Goliah, ch.	American Eclipse	By Mendoza	Hanover c. h. Va.	50	80	W. L. White
Hotspur, ch.	Timoleon	By Sir Archy	Chesterfield Co. Va.	50	75	John B. Christian
Hedgeford, br. (imp.)	Filho da Puta	Miss Craigie	Augusta, Geo.	30		Jos. H. Townes
Hyacinth	Sir Archy	By Archduke, (imp.)	Surry Co. Va.	40	60	John C. Crump
Ivanhoe, b.	Virginian	By imp. Archduke	Timonium race course, Md.	10		John Gooding
John Hancock, b.	Roanoke	Roanoka	Oatland, Va.	25		George Carter
Jack Downing	Wynn's Ratler	By Simmes' Oscar	Alachua Co. E. Flor.			
Janus, ch.	Sir Archy	Old Frenzy	Amherst c. h. Va.	20		J. & J. Potter
John McDonald, b.	Flying Childers	By Duroc	Potter's Mills, Penn.	30	40	Josiah W. Ware
John Richards, b.	Sir Archy	By Ratler	Berryville, Va.	20		F. M. Bacon
Lafayette, b.	Conqueror	By Sir Arthur	New Design, Ken.	75	125	Thos. A. Pankey
Luzborough, b. (imp.)	Ditto	By Dick Andrews	Franklin, Tenn.	75	100	George Elliott
Leviathan, ch. (imp.)	Muley	By Windle	Gallatin, Tenn.	20	30	Spencer C. Griffin
Monsieur Tonson, b.	Monsieur Tonson	By Hill's Tartar	Near Abbeville, Va.	15	25	Wm. Woods
Murat, b.	Virginian	By Archduke	Charlottesville, Va.	60	100	Geo. W. Johnson
Monsieur Tonson, b.	Pacolet	Madam Tonson	Chesterfield Co. Va.	40	50	A. Pool
Mambrino, ch.	American Eclipse	Grand Duchess	Fountain of Health, Tenn.			J. C. Tate
Michigan	Timoleon	By Ragland's Diomed	Jeffersonville, Va.	75		W. H. Edwards
Melle Melle	Virginian	By Sir Archy	Near Lagrange, Tenn.	30		W. Buford & Co.
Medoc, ch.	American Eclipse	By Expedition	Woodford Co. Ken.	40	75	Jas. M. Beall
Marylander, b.	Ratler	Noli-me-tangere	Russellville, Ken.	25		Thos. Alderson
O'Kelly, gr.	American Eclipse	Young Empress	Nashville, Tenn.			Capt. Wm. Duval
Pamunkey	American Eclipse	By Sir Archy	Culpeper c. h. Va.	50	100	D. W. Sumner
Peacock, b.	Roanoke	Roanoka	Clarksville, Va.	35		W. R. Peyton
Pacific, b.	Sir Archy	Eliza	Nashville, Tenn.	25	40	John Maxwell
Ratler, ch.	Sir Archy	By Robin Redbreast	Murfreesboro' Tenn.	15		
Redgauntlet	Sir Archy	By Hephestion	Newberry c. h. S. C.			
Ripley, ch.	Sir Charles	Betsey Robinson	Centreville and Easton, Md.			

Rolla, b.	Gohanna	By Sir Hal	Rocky Mount, Va.	30	40	J. Colquhoun & W. S. Haynes
Shakespeare, b.	Virginian	By Shenandoah	New Athens, Ken.	40	75	Clayton Curle
Sarpedon, b. (imp.)	Emilius	Icaria	Lexington, Ken.	75		Wm. G. Skillman
Shark, bl.	American Eclipse	Lady Lightfoot	Bristol, Pa.			
Sidi Hamet, b.	Virginian	By Sir Archy	Bath Co. Ken.	15		James Sappington
Sir Leslie, b.	Sir William	By imp Buzzard	Lexington, Ken.	25		Wm. E. Warfield
Sir Henry Tonson, gr.	Pacolet	Madam Tonson	Fayetteville, Tenn.	40		50
Saxe Weimar, b.	Sir Archy	Lottery	Shelbyville, Tenn.			Samuel Mitchell
Syphax, (Arabian)			Xenia, Ohio.			
Snowden, gr.	Wild Medley	By Sir Archy	Danville, Va.	20		James Colquhoun
Simon Pure	Sir Archy	Imp. Philadelphia	Amherst c. h. Va.			Wm. Coupland
Tychicus, ch.	Clifton	Miss Chance	Lynchburg, Va.	15		James S. Stoughton
Tremendous, b.	Marylander	By Tuckahoe	Milton, Penn.			
Topaz, b.	Roanoke	Jett	Nelson c. h. Va.	20		James Campbell
Tennessee	Sir William	By Janus	Lancaster, Penn.	20		Edward Parker
Veto, b.	Sir Archy	By imp. Citizen	Port Tobacco, Md.	30		E. J. Hamilton
Velocity, b.	Rob Roy	By Ogle's Oscar	Lancaster, Penn.	30		Edward Parker
Victory, b. (imp.)	Waterloo	By Soothsayer	Cartersville, Va.	15		David O. Coupland
Washington, ch.	Timoleon	Ariadne	Jacksonville, Ken.	25		Thomas Doswell
Wellington, b.	Bertrand		Hanover Co. Va.	20		Wm. Tod
Walter Scott, ch.	Monsieur Tonson	By Sir Archy	Lexington, Va.	50		75 S. W. Yager
Wildfire, b.	Roanoke	By Gracchus	Matthews c. h. Va.	25		40 C. Moores
Young Trafalgar, ch.	Trafalgar	By Merlin	Barboursville, Va.			
Young Truffle, b. (imp.)	Truffle	Helen	Longtown, S. C.			
Yemen, gr. (Arabian)						

TURF REGISTER.

Pedigree of the brown mare Brunette, property of Hezekiah Linthicum of A. A. county, Md.

I certify that the brown mare BRUNETTE, now the property of Mr. Hezekiah Linthicum, was bred by me; she was foaled on the 17th April, 1816, and was got by Telegraph, out of Albuera, full sister to Defiance; Albuera was got by Florizel, her dam by Roebuck, her grandam by Independence, her g. grandam by the imp. horse Centinel, or Flimnap, her g. g. grandam by the imp. horse old Janus, out of a full bred mare; Independence was got by the imp. horse Fearnought, and stated to be out of a full bred mare.

The above is a true copy from the pedigree of Albuera, furnished me by John Roberts, Esq. of Virginia, from whom I purchased her. Mr. Roberts purchased the dam of "Albuera" from Mr. Ezekiel Dance, from whom he obtained the pedigree of the dam of Albuera.

CHAS. STERETT RIDGELY.

Font Hill, Dec. 12, 1834.

N.B. For pedigree of Telegraph, Florizel, &c. see Turf Register, vol. 1, p. 472.

Her produce:

B. f. two years old in the spring of 1835, by Sussex.

Br. f. one year old spring of 1835, by Johnson's Medley.

Brunette is now in foal to Sussex.

All the above stock for sale, apply to

H. LINTHICUM,
Sweetser's Bridge, Md.

MR. EDITOR:

I send you the produce of my stock since they were first registered in your valuable and popular work.
E. B. HICKS.

1. CINO, b. f. foaled May 18, 1834, by Young Truffle, out of Georgiana. Trained this fall and proved lame.

2. Ch. f. foaled May 31, 1832, by Merlin, out of Teresa, by Arab.

3. DANDY DINMONT, ch. c. foaled June 8, 1832, by Merlin, out of Georgiana.

4. LETHE, ch. f. foaled June 4, 1833, by American Eclipse, out of Georgiana. Now owned by Col. A. Claiborne, of Greenville co. Va.

5. TORNADO, ch. c. foaled April 4, 1834, by American Eclipse, out of Teresa.

6. NANCY BELL, b. f. foaled June 14, 1834, by imp. Fylde, out of Georgiana.

Georgiana, ch. m. (who is also the dam of Teresa,) eleven years old last spring, (1834,) was got by Napoleon, out of old Poll, when twenty-two years old, she by Druid, &c.—see vol. 2, p. 463.

The above, (except No. 4,) together with the two mares, Georgiana and Teresa, are for sale—inquire of the Editor.

Lawrenceville, Va. Nov. 27, 1834.

A complete list of the stud of Philip Wallis, Esq. of Baltimore.

1. EQUA,* ch. m. foaled 1815, bred by the late Isaac Duckett. She was got by imported Chance; her dam a roan mare by Republican President, (son of Craggs' Highflyer, out of a thoroughbred Venitian mare, which was also the dam of the famous running horse Duckett's Financier;) grandam by Dr. Hamilton's imp. Ranger, (son of Regulus, who was by the Godolphin Arabian;) g. g. dam by Lindsey's Arabian; g. g. dam Dr. Hamilton's mare Thistle, (full sister to Primrose,) by Ha-

* Since dead.

milton's imp. Dove; g. g. g. g. dam Stella, by Othello, (son of Crab;) g. g. g. g. dam Tasker's Selima, by the Godolphin Arabian.

The full pedigree of Equa as above, is taken from and verified by the manuscript pedigree, left by the late Dr. P. Thornton, of "Isaac Duckett's mares." These papers are now in the possession of Thos. Peter Esq. of Georgetown. (Signed,)

T. P. ANDREWS.

THOMAS PETER.

Washington, Oct. 10, 1832.

Her produce:

2. 1825; g. f. PANDORA II. got by Gov. Wright's Silverheels. Stinted to Maryland Eclipse in 1834.

3. 1828; b. f. ALGERINA, got by the Jones Arabian. In foal to Maryland Eclipse.

4. 1830; b. f. LUBLY ROSA, got by Sir Archy, (vide 5th vol. Am. Turf Reg. p. 208, and 6th vol. p. 252.)

5. 1834; b. c. EASTERN SHORE, by imp. Luzborough, produce of Pandora II.

6. 1830; g. f. LADY ARCHIANA, by Sir Archy, (vide vol. 6, Turf Reg. pages 146, 156, and 253.)

7. 1832; g. f. BLANCHE OF DEVON, by Monsieur Tonson, produce of Algerina.

8. 1833; g. f. MOLINERA, by Johnson and Craig's Medley.

9. 1817; b. f. SELIMA, (bred by the late Gov. Wright,) was got by Topgallant, (by Diomed;) dam John Bull, (bred by Col. Lyles,) was got by Gabriel, the sire of Postboy, Oscar, and Harlequin, noted runners. Her dam was Active, who was got by Chatham out of Shepherdess, who was got by Eden's imp. horse Slim out of Shrewbury, (the property of Dr. Hamilton,) by imp. Old Figure; g. g. g. dam was Thistle, by Dr. Hamilton's imp. Dove. She was out of Stella, who was got by

imp. Othello out of Selima, who was imported by Col. Tasker and got by the Godolphin Arabian.

Certificate of Col. Lyles, the breeder of John Bull—Gov. Wright's Selima is the best bred mare in America, (Signed,)

R. WRIGHT.

I have seen the above pedigree of Selima, now in the possession of P. Wallis, which is in the handwriting of the late Gov. Wright.

(Signed,) J. S. S., Editor.

10. 1832; b. c. CORSICA, out of Selima, by John Richards.

[P. Wallis will sell the whole or any part of his stud at a fair price, all are sound and in good condition; Lubly Rosa, Lady Archiana, Blanche of Devon, and Corsica, are promising and now in walking exercise. He would dispose of a running interest in them, (in part,) to a good trainer.]

Blooded stock, property of Richard Hill Esq., of Richmond, Va.

1. LADY BERKLEY, ch. m. (bred by Carter Berkley Esq., of Barnelms, Middlesex Co. Va.,) fourteen years old last spring, was got by Trafalgar, dam Rosalba, by imp. Spread Eagle; g. dam imp. Alexandria, by Alexander; g. g. dam by Woodpecker; g. g. g. dam by Phlegon, out of Lord Egremont's Highflyer mare. In foal by Timoleon.

2. REFORM dk. br. m. five years old spring 1834; got by Tariff, (Johnson's;) dam by Col. Hoskins's Sir Peter; g. dam by Highlander;* g. g. dam by Cade; g. g. g. dam by Lonsdale, out of a thoroughbred mare imported by the Hon. Thomas Nelson—Sir Peter by Knowsley out of Col. Hoskins's Minerva. In foal by Timoleon.

3. EGLANTINE, ch. f. foaled spring 1832, by Gohanna, out of Lady Berkley, (No. 1.)

* See error in Highlander's pedigree, vol. 1, p. 628, corrected in vol. 2, p. 464.

4. **RUBY**, b. f. foaled spring 1833, full sister to No. 3.

5. B. f. by Mason's Ratler, out of Reform, (No. 2.)

The above are for sale, inquire of the Editor.

Stud of Geo. E. Gillespie Esq., of Woodford County, Ken.

1. **JULIA FRANKLIN**, b. m. foaled 1823, got by Tiger; her dam by Albert; g. dam a thoroughbred Arabian mare, (as per certificate in possession of G. E. G.)—Tiger by Cook's Whip—Albert by Americus.

2. **MATILDA**, ch. m. foaled 1829, by Sumter, out of No. 1.

Her produce:

3. B. f. by Trumpator, foaled 1833.

4. Ch. c. by Cherokee, foaled 1834.

5. **LADY FISK**, ch. m. foaled 1830, got by Kosciusko out of No. 1.

6. B. f. foaled 1833, by Cherokee, out of No. 1.

7. **SALLY GRIMES**, b. f. foaled 1834, by Cherokee, out of No. 1.

8. **MISS BULLIT**, b. f. foaled 1833, by Bertrand; dam by Cook's Whip; g. dam by imp. Whip; g. g. dam by Bompard, (by imp. Obscurity;) g. g. g. dam by Union; g. g. g. g. dam by Silverheels.

Julia Franklin and Matilda in foal by Lance.

GEO. E. GILLESPIE.

Versailles, Ken., Dec. 1, 1834.

Ch. c. fifteen hands and a half inch high, (property of Adam Ashburner, near Bordentown, N. J.) bred by Bela Badger, Esq., got by John Richards; dam by Sir Solomon; grandam old Nettle-top, by imp. Diomed—Betsey Lewis by Shark—Atalanta by Lindsay's Arabian—Lee's old Mark Anthony—Silver-eye—Crawford—Janus—out of a mare imported by Gen. Alexander Spotswood. For sale, inquire of the Editor.

TREMENDOUS, (property of James S. Stoughton of Northumberland

County, Penn.) was by Marylander—his dam Ellen by Tuckahoe; grandam by imp. Bedford; g. g. dam by Whistlejacket; g. g. g. dam by old Rockingham; g. g. g. g. dam by old Cub, out of the favorite imp. mare Lady Northumberland.

Marylander, the sire of Tremendous, was, as is well known, by Ratler; his dam Noli-me-tangere by Topgallant, out of the dam of Sir Archy. The correctness of the above certified by John V. Swearingen, E. L. Boteler, Abram Barnes, and J. P. Lyles.

Stud of Samuel Sprigg.

1. **LADY TELEGRAPH**, out of Fairmaid by Lufborough's Telegraph—for which see Am. Turf Reg. vol. 3, p. 586, and vol. 1, p. 472.

2. B. g. out of No. 1, by Forrester—he out of Columbia, by Young Florizel, see vol. 1, p. 280, and vol. 3, pp. 372, 485, vol. 5, pp. 174 and 467.

3. **BONNIE**, by Northampton, out of Singecat—She by Lufborough's Napoleon—her grandam by Spread Eagle—g. g. dam by imported Shark—for Napoleon see vol. 3, p. 372.

4. **BONNIE LASSIE**, out of No. 3, by Forrester, (out of Columbia.)

5. B. c. out of No. 3, by Industry, vol. 4, p. 50.

6. B. f. out of No. 3, by Sussex, vol. 4, p. 53.

7. **NANCY NORWOOD**, by Ratler out of a Buonaparte mare—her grandam a double crossed Medley mare—vol. 2. 359, and vol. 1, p. 316.

8. A b. f. foaled 15th April, 1832, out of No. 7, by Industry.

9. A b. f. out of No. 7, by Sussex.

10. **GRAY BETT**, out of Fairmaid by Thornton and Lear's imp. Arabar.

11. **ELIZA**, ch. m. by Ball's Florizel—her dam by Cupbearer, out of a Bedford mare.

All of which are for sale upon reasonable terms. **SAMUEL SPRIGG.**

MR. EDITOR:

I send you a continuation of the list of my blood stock, which you will please insert in your valuable American Turf Register.

Yours, E. A. DARCEY.

LADY FORREST, ch. m. seven years old, bred by Daniel Holmes, Esq. of Monmouth Co. N. J., by Tormentor—dam by imp. Expedition; grandam by Sir Solomon, (by Tickle Toby;) g. g. dam by imp. Honest John; g. g. g. dam by Hunt's Figure mare, (the g. g. dam of Lady Relief,) by Dr. Hamilton's Figure out of old Slamerkin. See Am. Turf Reg. vol. 3, p. 429.

Her produce:

1832; b. c. **LANCER**, by Lance.

1833; No foal—put to Dashall—missed—in the fall put to American Eclipse.

1834; August 21st, ch. c. **SUC-COUR**, by American Eclipse.

Ch. m. **CRANBERRY**, five years old, by Smith's Florizel, (by Marshal Duroc;) dam by Col. Schomp's Grand Seigneur; grandam by imp. Honest John; g. g. dam by imp. Bajazet; g. g. g. dam by Bashaw; g. g. g. g. dam by Young Bullerock; g. g. g. g. g. dam by Selim; g. g. g. g. g. dam by Col. Hopper's Pacolet; g. g. g. g. g. g. dam by old Spark—Queen Mab—Miss Caldwell.

Her produce:

1834; August 1st, ch. f. **PROOF SHEET**, by American Eclipse.

Ch. c. **CLODHOPPER**, foaled in 1832, by Flagellator, dam by Hunt's Cockfighter; grandam by Gen. Forman's Glider; g. g. dam was a mare imported by Dr. Norris, and sold by John Fairlem to Col. Smock, of Monmouth Co. N. J., got by Paymaster; g. g. g. dam by Highflyer; g. g. g. g. dam by old Snap—Miss Cranborn by Godolphin Arabian.

Ch. c. **SCENE SHIFTER**, foaled in 1833, by Leopold, out of the above Cockfighter mare—Clodhopper's dam.

Ch. m. **SUSAN**, see Am. Turf Reg. vol. 3, p. 429.

Her produce:

1832; ch. c. **POLAND**, by Leopold, died six weeks old with distemper.

1833; ch. c. **CUTWATER**, by Leopold—parted with to Gen. Atkinson, Jefferson's Barracks, Mo. (died last spring.)

1834; no foal. Sold to Dr. J. W. Lott of Jerseyville, Green Co. Illinois.

B. m. **ORPHAN GIRL**, six years old, (bred by Mr. Jacob Gulic of Kingston, N. J.,) by Orphan Boy; dam by Ball's Florizel, (of her pedigree more hereafter,) sold to Mr. Edgar of Franklin, Howard Co. Mo.

Ch. c. **RIGHTS OF MAN**, by Leopold, foaled 22d of Feb., 1834, out of Sweet Erin, full sister to the twenty mile mare, Lady Relief, see Am. Turf Reg. vol. 3, p. 429.

Bl. f. **BLACK STREAK**, foaled in 1831, (bred by Mr. Hart, of Pennington, N. J., and purchased of Bela Badger Esq., of Penn.,) got by imp. Valentine, dam by Marshal Duroc, out of imp. Trumpetta,—died last spring.

B. m. **BAD LUCK**, four years old, (bred by Bela Badger, Esq., of Bristol, Penn.,) by imp. Valentine, dam by Timoleon, (of her pedigree more hereafter.)

B. f. **LADY MONMOUTH**, eight years old, (bred by Col. Smock, of Monmouth N. J.,) by Ogle's Oscar; dam by Hunt's Cockfighter; grandam by Gen. Forman's Glider; g. g. dam was a mare imported by Dr. Norris and sold by John Fairlem to Col. Smock, got by Paymaster; g. g. g. dam by Highflyer; g. g. g. g. dam by old Snap—Miss Cranborn by Godolphin Arabian.

Her produce:

1834; b. f. by Henry.

I send the pedigrees of some horses mentioned above, which I have not seen on record, viz:

B. h. **ORPHAN BOY**, by American Eclipse, out of Maid of the Oaks.

Ch. h. **MARSHAL DUROC**, by Duroc, out of Maid of the Oaks.

Ch. h. **TORMENTOR**, bred by Jos. H. Vanmater Esq., of Monmouth Co. N. J., by Marshal Duroc; dam

Honesty, by imp. Expedition; grandam Zelipha, by imp. Messenger; g. g. dam Fair American, by Lloyd's Traveller; g. g. g. dam old Slamerkin—imp. Cub mare.

FLORIZEL, (Smith's,) full brother to Milkmaid, by Marshal Duroc, dam by imported Expedition; grandam by sorrel Badger, by imp. Apollo; g. g. dam by imp. Bajazet, &c.

GRAND SEIGNOR, (Col. Schomp's,) by imp. Arabian Grand Seigneur, dam the dam of Maria Slamerkin by Paragon; grandam by Dr. Hamilton's Figure, out of old Slamerkin—imp. Cub mare.

Gr. h. COCKFIGHTER, (Hunt's) by imp. Grey Highlander, dam Hunt's Figure mare by Figure—old Slamerkin—imp. Cub mare.

BASHAW, a full brother to old Slamerkin, by imp. Wildair, out of imp. Cub mare.

Ch. h. FLAGELLATOR, bred by Jos. H. Vanmater, Esq., of N. J., by Seagull, by imp. Expedition, dam Honesty, by imp. Expedition,—see Tormentor's dam.

B. h. SEAGULL, (bred by Jos. H. Vanmater Esq., of N. J.,) by imp. Expedition; dam by imp. Sourkrout; grandam by Gen. White's imp. Slender; g. g. dam Fair American, by Lloyd's Traveller; g. g. g. dam old Slamerkin—imp. Cub mare.

SOURKROUT, imp., by Highflyer, dam Jewel by Squirrel, &c.

Pedigrees of Cressida and her produce, the property of Capt. S. Ringgold, U. S. Army, all thoroughbred stock whose ancestors were all great four mile horses.

CRESSIDA, ch. m. full fifteen hands high, foaled May, 1825, bred by J. Baker, Esq., Chesterfield Co. Va., was got by Sir Charles; dam by Ball's Florizel; grandam by Daredevil (imp.); g. g. dam Mary Grey, by Tippoo Saib.

Mary Grey was Col. F. Eppes's celebrated mare, the dam of Palafox, Wilkes' Wonder, and Gen'l Jackson's famous Pacolet.

I, Francis Eppes, of Chesterfield Co. Va., do certify that Mary Grey the dam of Pacolet, Palafox, Wilkes'

Wonder, &c., was got by Tippoo Saib, (whose sire was Lindsay's Arabian;) her dam by Brimmer; grandam by Silvereye; g. g. dam by Valiant, out of a full bred Jolly Roger mare. Given under my hand, this 20th day of May, 1804.

FRANCIS EPPES.

Test, THOS. THWEATT.

Cressida is a mare of great beauty, bearing a strong resemblance to the Sir Charles stock. She was purchased for me by Wm. R. Johnson Esq., in May, 1830.

"I have examined the above pedigree of Cressida and find it strictly correct, having known her and her family well." (Signed,)

WM. R. JOHNSON.

New York, May 26th, 1831.

Produce of Cressida:

1831; Feb. 22d, ch. c. by Medley, (dead.)

1832; Feb., ch. c. by John Richards, met with an accident, (dead.)

1833; ch. c. by Medley, a very promising one, entered in a sweepstakes spring of 1836, Union course.

1834; missed to Medley.

1835; now in foal to Medley.

The ancestors of this mare were all great racers.

Sir Charles by Sir Archy, stands unrivalled as a racer and stallion.

Ball's Florizel by Diomed, dam by Shark, never was beat nor paid forfeit; he was the sire of the celebrated race nags Cupbearer, Thaddeus, Little Billy, Revenge, Tuckahoe, Defiance, and other runners. See vol. 5 and 6 T. Reg. for winners from Florizel mares, and pp. 259, 260, 262, and 263, 3d vol. Turf Reg.

Daredevil imp., by Magnet, he by King Herod, a horse that got the astonishing number of four hundred and ninety-seven winners in nineteen years. See vol. 4, Turf Reg. p. 340.

Tippoo Saib, by Lindsay's Arabian, the sire of Mary Grey.

Brimmer, Goode's, noted for great bottom and endurance, was by Valiant, he by Dormouse, and he by the Godolphin Arabian.

Silvereye, Valiant, and Jolly Roger, held in the highest esteem.

SAM'L RINGGOLD.